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WEATHER

Ohio—Fair tonight and Tuesday except snow flurries near Lake Erie; colder tonight.

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MINE WAGE SCALE WILL BE TAKEN UP BY COMMISSION

Wilson Expected to Name Members of Commission This Week—Normal Industrial Situation in Sight.

Washington, Dec. 15.—Acting President John L. Lewis of the United Mine Workers of America, who is attending the labor reconstruction conference here, predicted that by tonight 95 per cent of the miners would be back to work. "Though it has been a difficult task to reach all of the men in the short time since the decision was reached," he said, "it is certain that they will go back."

Restrictions imposed on the use of fuel during the strike gradually are being removed under the discretionary authority to rescind such orders given regional railroad directors. Thus the working week opened with a nearer approach to a normal industrial situation than any week since the strike was made effective, Nov. 1.

Although most of the power to rescind the various restrictions has been placed in the hands of the regional directors, the railroad administration is continuing to exercise a supervisory control over bituminous coal and coke. This has been made necessary not alone by the resignation of Fuel Administrator Garfield, but also by the resignations of Cyrus Guernsey, Jr., assistant to Dr. Garfield, and John A. Alport, chief engineer, both of whom came back to Washington to serve with their chief when the fuel administration was re-activated. These resignations have practically put an end to the reinstated activities of the administration.

Appointment by President Wilson of a commission to supersede the fuel administrator is expected this week. No intimations of the personnel have been given in official quarters, though the basic decided upon will make its composition include one mine worker, one coal mine operator and a representative of the public. The three will have power to readjust wage scales above the present advance given miners if desired, and also to advance the selling price of coal.

The scale committee of the operators of the central competitive field probably will meet in Cleveland Wednesday to consider their attitude toward the strike settlement.

RAILROADS ORDERED TO RELEASE COAL

Orders received by Freight Agent W. R. Torrence of the Pennsylvania Lines here Monday released conditionally the coal that the railroads have been holding up during the fuel shortage.

The conditions implied in the order are that if a dealer has a thirty days supply of coal unloaded in his yards that further coal shipped to him shall be held up and that if a manufacturer has more than a ten day's supply of fuel on hand that coal shipments to him shall also be held up.

This coal must eventually reach its destination however, and will be delivered as soon as the dealers or the manufacturers' supply goes below the minimum given.

This order relieves the possibility of a coal shortage for domestic purposes or an industrial shut-down here and there will be no danger from now on of railroads seizing and holding coal consigned to either manufacturers or dealers before it is delivered.

UNION IS SOUGHT WITH FARMERS BY A.F.O.L. OFFICIALS

Federation's Co-operative Committee Appointed at Atlantic City Convention Meets at Capitol.

Washington, Dec. 15.—Another effort to establish relations with farmers' organizations is being made by the American Federation of Labor. The federation's co-operative committee appointed at the Atlantic City convention is in conference here and met with the representatives of several farmers' groups.

In view of the declaration of principles adopted by the conference it was generally believed in labor quarters that the co-operation committee had made greater progress toward a common ground on which to meet the farmers' representatives than has any previous union group. Organized labor was declared by several spokesmen to be anxious to get organized farmers in the fold for the campaign which the workers plan to wage in the forthcoming election.

In this connection the statements made in the declaration, adopted by the conference, appealing to "all of those who contribute to society to unite in furtherance of the principles" were explained by labor leaders to mean that organized labor must be joined by the "producing classes" if its victory is to be complete.

These leaders asserted that the problems faced by organized labor are much the problems of the agriculturist class because they are both political and economic.

Every pressure is being brought to bear on the farmers' groups to line them up for labor's program, it was indicated at the Federation of Labor headquarters. Efforts, it was said, would be made to show the farmers that the conference's declaration against radicalism means as much to the tiller of the soil as to the industrial worker, and that the organized aid of the country worker is needed in the fight against "autocratic control and monopolistic maneuvering of the nation's raw supplies."

The whole "platform" of the conference was understood to have been drafted with a view to making it as acceptable as possible to the farmers. While it was noted that a strong sentiment for some political party declaration permeated the general conference, this, as well as the proposed endorsement of the new labor party, fell by the wayside because of the likelihood that it would be acceptable to few farmers, labor delegates said.

Perhaps every reader of the Gazette and Republican is familiar with the famous old picture "The Doctor," by Sir Luke Fields, which hangs in the National Gallery in London.

If so, is there one who has not felt a pang of sorrow when its full meaning dawned upon him.

The poor little lad, in the midst of poverty, propped up on an improvised cot, made from chairs and pillows, with the doctor helplessly awaiting the end; while father stands with set jaw and squared shoulders, gathering courage to meet the unbelievable fact that in some way, for some unaccountable reason his little one is leaving him forever, and the mother, lost in anguish, has left the little one's side, in utter despair.

Where did this happen—the picture

was finished, across the water, ages ago, but the incident has been repeating itself right here at home time after time, ever since.

Back in those days, the present day modern hospital was not known, but why, now, do we allow our very neighbors to experience this same ordeal and go without the necessary comforts of the sick room.

Perhaps your neighbor will be the next. Will you, with your vote Tuesday deprive him of what his country should give him—proper protection in the time of his greatest need—when his loved ones are hovering on the brink. Think what your vote may mean to the other people in this community. You are your brother's keeper. Forget your pocketbooks and vote right.

BLAKE BOY DEAD; MOTHER IS HELD FOR HIS MURDER

Atlantic City, N. J., Dec. 15.—The body of James M. Blake, Jr., 6-year-old son of a wealthy Philadelphia insurance broker, who was declared by his mother to have been kidnapped last Friday night, washed ashore at Ventnor yesterday. Mrs. Blake has been placed under arrest.

Mrs. Blake, who on Friday night crawled to the home of Benjamin Fox in Ventnor and told of being attacked by two negroes, who, after beating her, robbed her of a handbag and her child, is charged with the murder of the boy. She was removed to the Atlantic City hospital, where she is guarded by a policeman. She is said to be suffering from a nervous collapse.

The boy's body was found less than five blocks from the pier in Ventnor where Mrs. Blake's handbag was recovered and about the same distance from the scene of the alleged kidnapping. Mrs. Blake is said to have been suffering from a nervous ailment for a number of years.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake have been estranged for some time. The boy and a 10-year-old daughter had been in the custody of their father and had been permitted to go out with their mother.

Coal Production Reaches 80 Per Cent

Washington, Dec. 15.—Coal production will reach 80 per cent of normal today, it was announced today by the railroad administration after early reports had been received from the coal fields. In Kansas and Ohio alone the production is still considerably below normal and the situation is regarded as serious in these states.

The railroad administration today announced the lifting of restrictions on bunkering. The bunkering of ships was placed on a permit basis and coal will be issued to ships in the following order:

Inland and coastwise vessels, overseas vessels, foreign overseas vessels. This order will permit a number of foreign vessels which have been tied up for lack of fuel to sail.

DAVID GRIFFITH AND PARTY SAFE AFTER VOYAGE

Miami, Fla., Dec. 15.—The yacht Grey Duck, on which David W. Griffith, motion picture producer, and a party of 36 left here Wednesday, arrived last evening at Nassau, Bahamas Islands, with all on board safe, a radio message received by the Miami Herald from Nassau said.

The yacht, which was four days overdue on her arrival at Nassau, encountered heavy seas and members of the party had been without food for three days, the message said. Two passengers were swept overboard during the voyage, but were rescued.

The message said the Grey Duck almost capsized and the pilot was injured, and others on board were forced to take their turn at the wheel while the little craft wallowed in the seas.

INJURED LINEMEN STILL IMPROVING

I. C. Shaw, Dayton Power and Light lineman injured when a pole on which he was working Thursday fell to the ground, causing him to sustain a fractured skull still continues to improve at the McClellan Hospital, according to Dr. W. A. Galloway, attending physician.

It is believed now that if he passes through the secondary effects following such accidents that he will recover, although he is not yet out of danger.

Herbert Shaw, lineman for the same company, who was seriously burned by a high tension wire in Dayton, the same afternoon as the accident here, is also improving according to word from Miami Valley Hospital where the injured man is confined. There are sincere hopes now for his recovery.

SINGS NOW IN JAIL

New York, Dec. 15.—His desire to show that he could "sing better than Caruso" landed Peter Johnson, a stone mason, in jail today. Johnson smashed a plate glass window in a music store by beating time with his arms.

CALL CHIEF'S HAND ON MEXICAN FUSS SEE INTERVENTION

Carranza Must Be
"Spanked" is Opinion of Washington before
Kidnapping and Lawlessness Can be Overcome.

Washington, Dec. 15.—President Wilson's hand may be forced by Carranza. He is known to be watching the Mexican situation with anxiety and the prediction is being freely made here that he must soon abandon his policy of "watchful waiting."

Congress is watching the border with blood in its eye. Senators and congressmen on both sides of the political fence openly express their opinion that Carranza needs to be spanked and are firm in the belief that unless this is done in some form or other and in drastic fashion, the present outburst of kidnappings, murders and property outrages will go on, multiplying.

Despite the supposed attitude of President Wilson against intervention in Mexico, it is known he fully backed up Secretary Lansing in the latter's firm stand in the case of kidnapping, arrest and imprisonment of consular agent William O. Jenkins by the Mexican authorities of Puebla; and at sometime in that affair the United States appeared within one ace of armed action. Even the president's critics admit that while he may not have been quick to leap into a fray he makes a thorough job of it when he leaps.

Significance is attached to the news that the department of justice is sending a number of special agents to the Mexican frontier, under John C. Suter, assistant to the chief of the bureau of investigation and charged with keeping the border country under close surveillance. Reports have reached Washington that almost anything may be expected in that vicinity and the administration no doubt wishes to have first hand information on all that goes on.

The three trains removed from the

schedule of the Pennsylvania lines, and the two trains taken off the Baltimore & Ohio schedule last week because of the coal shortage, were reinstated Monday by orders sent out over the divisions.

The settlement of the coal strike and the fact that the miners are now returning to work, was the cause of reinstatement of the train service and puts train service through here on both roads back on its original schedule.

NO CONCESSIONS WILL BE MADE BY WILSON IN THE TREATY FIGHT

President Places Blame On Senate and Says He Has no Compromise in Mind—Situation Believed to be Hopeless at Washington Today.

SENATE LEADERS ISSUE WARNING ON RAIL BILLS

Washington, Dec. 15.—Declaring that he had "no compromise or concession of any kind in mind" and would make no move toward the peace treaty's disposition, President Wilson said he would continue to hold the Republican members of the senate responsible for results and conditions attending delay.

The president's position, regarded as peculiarly significant in view of the recent discussion in the senate of a compromise, was set forth in the following from the White House:

"It was learned from the highest authority at the executive offices that the hope of the Republican leaders of the senate that failure to dispose of the railroad bill this week might force abandonment of plans for a holiday recess starting Dec. 20.

While strong opposition has developed to the pending measure, leaders claimed its ultimate passage was certain, even if with a narrow margin.

A resolution introduced by Senator Norris, Republican, Nebraska, demands that the senate investigate reports that vast sums of money had been raised to help put the railroad measure through congress. Senator LaFollette had charged that the Railway Executives' association and other interests had provided funds for propaganda purposes. Senator Norris, who said the public had a right to know if sinister influences were trying secretly to bring about enactment of the Cummins bill, raised no objection to a proposal by Senator Pomerene, Democrat, Ohio, that the senate interstate commerce committee, to which the resolution was referred, also investigate reports that advocates of the Plumb plan for control had \$4,000,000 to spend in an effort to force adoption by congress of the tripartite system they proposed.

The print paper shortage was taken up today by the house post office committee in considering the bill of Representative Anthony, Republican, Kansas, to limit the size of newspapers and other periodicals.

Inquiry into treatment of radicals at Ellis Island was resumed by the house immigration committee, which has called A. W. Parker, former counsel for the immigration authorities. The committee possibly may hear Secretary Wilson and Immigration Commissioner Campanelli. It declared positively that the Democrats never would consent to ratification of the treaty without the league of nations and would not accept the plan proposed by Senator Knox, Republican, Pennsylvania, to ratify the peace terms and leave the league question for decision by the voters.

On one point only, apparently, were all senate factions in harmony—namely, that decisive action on the treaty probably would be deferred until next month, after the proposed holiday recess of congress, planned to end Jan. 5.

Senator Hitchcock, commenting on the White House statement, declared that the Democrats would continue efforts for compromising the reservations and that the senate and the president must act first. "The president says the whole matter is in the hands of the senate and I agree with him," said Mr. Hitchcock. He declared positively that the Democrats never would consent to ratification of the treaty without the league of nations and would not accept the plan offered by Senator Knox, Republican, Pennsylvania, to ratify the peace terms and leave the league question for decision by the voters.

Senator Borah of Idaho, Republican member of the foreign relations committee and prominent among the treaty's implacable foes, in a statement charged that large financial interests were engaged in propaganda favoring a senate compromise and also proposed to keep the treaty and the league from being passed on by the people during the ensuing presidential campaign.

ALLIES DRAFT NOTE TO THE EX-KAISER

London, Dec. 15.—The allies are understood to be drafting a joint note to Holland demanding the extradition of the ex-kaiser.

Sir Gordon Hewart, the attorney general of England, has now completed all the plans for the trial, it was learned today.

The trial of the former German emperor was one of the questions considered at the conference between Premier Lloyd George and Premier Clemenceau.

• AUCTION DATES RESERVED

Dec. 16—E. Stephens
Jan. 2—Ralph Howell & Sons
Jan. 2—S. A. Weaver

Jan. 5—Perry Dardis
Jan. 13—Greene Co. Big Type
P. C. Breeders' Assn.
Jan. 19—Tomlinson and McCoy
and O. A. Dobbins

Jan. 21—J. P. Zell
Feb. 4—W. J. Wilson

Feb. 4—Lewis Pennewit
Feb. 5—J. F. Harshman
Feb. 12—Roby Bartlett
Feb. 16—Forest Badford
Feb. 17—Ernest Bradford
Feb. 18—D. L. Miller
Feb. 19—D. R. Propp
Feb. 25—Cornelius Conner

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Local Items

Miss Clara Wright, who has a government position in Washington, has arrived home for a three weeks' vacation. Her sister, Miss Mildred, who is employed in the department of railroad administration, is expected home later in the week.

GET IT AT DONGES.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Conklin, Miss Millie Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Earley and son Abler, and Mrs. V. E. Eatley start Monday evening for Florida to spend the winter. They will go direct to Tampa.

Highest prices paid for live stock, chickens, butter and eggs. Cloverleaf Delicatessen, Both phones. 12-19

Mrs. William H. Kenyon, of New York, will be here the last of the week to spend the Christmas season with her mother, Mrs. Mary A. Kinney, and other relatives at the Kinney home. Mr. Kenyon will join her for Christmas.

Wanted, right away. Young man to work in the advertising department at the Gazette office. Experience necessary. 12-16

Mrs. J. W. Barger, of Leesburg, mother of Mrs. Paul Owens is at the McClellan Hospital convalescing from surgical operation. Her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Barger, and her brother-in-law and sister-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. K. R. Teachnor, of Leesburg, motored to Xenia Sunday to visit her at the hospital.

Aeroplane Caps for men and boys, 2.00 and \$1.50. Higgins & Phillips. 12-15-16 Higgins & Phillips

Miss Mary Kelble has gone to Philadelphia to spend some time with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Kelble. The Kelbles are just moving back to Philadelphia, where they formerly lived, and Miss Mary accompanied her sister-in-law and the children on the journey. Mr. Kelble has been in Philadelphia for some time.

Toques for kids 75c. Higgins & Phillips. 12-15-16 Higgins & Phillips

Wreaths for the cemetery, all kinds of magnolia, Statice, Thistle, Ruscus only, wreaths that last all winter—50c to \$2.50. Telephone your orders we will place them on the graves Xmas morning. Engle Floral company, Dayton Hill. 12-17

Neckwear for men 65c and up. Higgins & Phillips. 12-15-16 Higgins & Phillips

Miss Gladys McClellan, who is employed in one of the government departments at Washington, has arrived at Xenia to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McClellan.

Our store open evenings until after mas. Higgins & Phillips. 12-15-16 Higgins & Phillips

Charles Cartwright of Wilmington, as in Xenia Sunday, coming to see his uncle, Charles Harrison of Rogers reet, who is convalescing from a serious illness.

Open evenings. Tiffany Jewelry store. adv-12-19

Mrs. B. I. Seybold of New York is visiting her niece, Mrs. Clyde Smith of the Springfield pike. She expects to remain over the holidays.

Open evenings. Tiffany Jewelry store. adv-12-19

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TONIGHT AT BEDTIME, if you feel out-of-sorts, run-down, or "all in" from over-exertion, or if you are constipated, or your liver is out of order, take **BLISS NATIVE HERB TABLETS**. In cases of headache, rheumatism, pains, two tablets may be taken. You will get up next morning feeling very much better. **BLISS NATIVE HERB TABLETS** act gently, but effectively on the kidneys, liver and bowels. The double box contains 200 tablets, and usually lasts 18 months. Get the genuine, and look for the trade mark, and money back guarantee on each box. Two sizes, 50c and 80c.

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For many years druggists have watched with much interest the remarkable record maintained by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root the great kidney, liver and bladder medicine.

It is a physician's prescription.

Swamp-Root is a strengthening medicine. It helps the kidneys, liver and bladder do the work nature intended they should do.

Swamp-Root has stood the test of years. It is sold by all druggists on its merit and it should help you. No other kidney medicine has so many friends.

Be sure to get Swamp-Root and start treatment at once.

However if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure to mention the Gazette or Republican.

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Remarks like the above are passed about many girls whose appearance would be most attractive were it not for a poor skin. RESINOL SOAP is just what such girls need to help in overcoming their complexion difficulties. It does more than remove dirt—it gets right after those clogged pores, and excessive oiliness, and it benefits the skin cells.

When a little Resinol Ointment is used in connection with Resinol Soap, relief is hastened, and unless the trouble is due to some internal disorder, the complexion is usually cleared in a short time.

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"Why don't you speak for yourself John?"

When the folks at home half jokingly ask you what you want for Christmas—why don't you speak right up and say "SILK SHIRTS?"

MICHAEL-Stern

That's what you really DO want, isn't it? Then why keep it a secret and be disappointed on Christmas morning when you unwrap a de luxe edition of "Les Misérables" in two volumes.

The Criterion collection of SILK SHIRTS this Christmas challenges the finest custom shop to produce anything better in silk and sewing and the patterns and the colorings are the talk of the town—and have been for the past two weeks.

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"Remember what I tell you, 'Gerry'" (the pet name given me by everybody—family and friends), "if a girl goes on working after she is married, it causes the man to lose interest so that he does not do his best. He has no spur, sees no necessity. You see, dear, many men need someone to work FOR to arouse the fighting instinct in them—to goad their ambition."

"But why will they not work for their own sake, their success in life?"

"It is not enough. A male animal will only forage when he is hungry unless he has a mate. He spends his time lazily loafing at other times. But give him a mate and he will be on the qui vive to provide for her and

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Pepto-Mangan Increases and Enriches the Supply of Red Blood—Builds Strength

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Sold in Liquid and Tablet Form—Both Alike in Medicinal Qualities

Why do pallid, thin, listless, easily exhausted men and women continue to make themselves, and those around them, unhappy by that condition when they can so easily overcome it?

Unless a man or woman is suffering from some serious, deep-seated ailment, a prompt remedy that will overcome that continual tired, worn-out, sluggish feeling is within easy reach.

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their offspring. Men are very like animals in some respects—that is, many of them are. Give them a wife, children, and they will work endure everything, to make that wife, those children, comfortable and happy. But if the wife forgoes for herself, they soon learn to let her; their responsibility ends."

"I still think you are mistaken, Mother. And what a shame it would be for a girl who had made a place in the world for herself—who was earning as much or more perhaps than the man she married—to give it up! Also, with their combined earnings they could be so much more comfortable."

"Comfortable, Gerry, only in that they might perhaps have better clothes, etc. But a man wants a home. Perhaps as you say times have changed, but up to now girls have not been able to make a man the sort of home he craves and keep a wage-earning position as well. A man attends to his business, his job, or whatever he does, with a single-mindedness no woman who tries to do two jobs at once can hope to attain. She is attempting too much—trying to be man and woman both. It naturally follows that she falls down in one capacity if not in both—usually it is in the making of a home."

"But times, people, have changed, Mother."

"Man's nature hasn't changed. I may be old-fashioned, dear. I guess I am. But if women are to go out into the world as wage-earners, let it be the single women—women who have no husbands. Then, dear, there is another side to this question, a sad side, I think; the women who go on working after they are married, are not anxious for children. Children would, of course, interfere with their work, and so are unwelcome. I may be hopelessly old fashioned, Gerry, but I can't help feeling that the old way is the best. If a woman has to work, all honor to her. But if it isn't necessary and by so doing she destroys the home life of herself and husband, she is unwise." Then after a moment Mother added, "It is far better for a girl to wait until the man she wishes to marry can provide a suitable home—suitable to their station in life—than to rush into marriage without taking thought of what living with a make-shift for a home would mean to one or both of them."

"But that means long engagements, and I thought you did not believe in them?"

"Neither do I. Be good friends, but wait to become engaged until there is some chance that marriage will mean what it was intended to mean; home, children. My ideas may not have advanced with the times, Gerry, dear, yet I should dreadfully hate to see you marry and then work outside of our own home."

"There's no danger. Why I haven't even a beau!" I returned, laughing.

"That's because you have stayed with me so constantly."

"I would rather be with you than with any of the boys or girls either," I told mother and I meant it. We were real chums, mother and I. We always talked over everything together. It was the marriage of one of the girls I knew, a girl who was going to keep her position, that had started the above conversation—one of the last Mother and I had together. She had a heart attack a few days afterward and I was left alone.

JAMESTOWN

A CORRECT UNDERSTANDING.

We wish to correct a false impression that developed in the Jamestown paper. We appreciate the editor's interest in behalf of the American Legion—but it seems that we have gone on record as opposed to the County Memorial Hospital, this is false to many of us. It appears a county institution of this nature will be a great occasion of good and prestige for the people of Greene County.

This of course is a matter of opinion. The Legion does not consider the question as official.

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MAJOR GENERAL WOOD'S CANDIDACY.

The managers of Major General Leonard Wood have decided to bring Mahomet to the mountain. A few days in Washington and they were convinced that the party leaders in the East are more favorable to either Senator Harding or Governor Lowden for the Republican nomination for the Presidency than to their candidate. They are assured of their strength in the Middle West, and they are ready to start their campaign in the East. They realize they have some hard fighting ahead, but they are enthusiastic and optimistic.

Formal announcement of General Wood's candidacy is expected within a few weeks. It is thought that he will declare himself before January 1 in order to meet the requirements of the South Dakota presidential preference law which requires candidates to announce themselves and their platforms on or before that date in order to be voted for in the primaries.

Colonel William L. Proctor, of Cincinnati, went to Washington to confer with national leaders of the party. He has been selected as General Wood's campaign manager. There is to be no "closed season" in the Wood hunt for the nomination until the will of the convention is announced next June.

Colonel Proctor conferred with Frank T. King, of Connecticut, who has been directing the Wood campaign and it was decided to open national headquarters at an early date.

General Wood is a great man. His service in the Spanish-American War will not soon be forgotten by Americans. And anybody who has been to Havana, Cuba, will bear testimony to the indubitable evidence presented there of his marvelous executive ability in cleaning up that great city and giving to it wonderful improvements of which they are very proud.

No name is more caronized in Havana than that of Leonard Wood, for the marvelous transformation he wrought there while Military Governor of Cuba after the war.

There has been some criticism of General Wood for a phrase he used in

an address he recently made at Williams College, saying, "Avoid internationalism as you would death." We have not seen any explanation from him of just what he meant in the expression, but in view of the existing national discussion of the League of Nations some have inferred that he is opposed to it, and that that is what he meant. We hope not.

Many of those who oppose the League of Nations base much stress for their position on the language in Washington's Farewell Address where he cautions us to beware of "entangling alliances" with foreign nations. We have just re-read this famous document and we think he referred to our taking sides with any particular nation as against another—for he speaks of "partiality for one foreign nation and excessive dislike of another"—says we should be impartial or in other words neutral.

We are sure if George Washington had been alive during the late war he would have been among the first to urge our entrance into it.

Self-protection is implanted by God in the human breast—so when a barbarous nation with which we were on good terms, and against which we had not lifted a hand, sunk the Lusitania, and sent to death hundreds of our citizens, there was nothing left for us to do in self-defense than resent the insult. We would be a nation of "victors" if we had not done so.

Think of the George Washington of Valley Forge—and can you think of him if alive after the sinking of the Lusitania, as being neutral.

THE DEADLIEST EPIDEMIC.

A well known medical authority says that influenza is "a more fatal infection than smallpox."

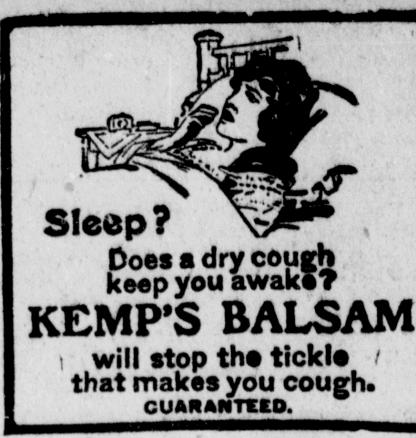
He argues accordingly for thorough isolation of influenza patients, following the same method that is practiced as a matter of course with smallpox cases.

A good test of this method was made last winter in Buffalo. That city fought the flu by closing all its schools, church, theaters and other public places, by using vaccines, and by insisting on the wearing of gauze masks. These precautions were put in force in the early stages of the epidemic. As a result, it never became a very serious epidemic in Buffalo. That city suffered far less in proportion to population than the majority of American cities, where rigid isolation and other scientific regulations were not adopted.

A repetition of last year's epidemic has been feared for this winter. It has not yet developed alarmingly anywhere, but there have been many disquieting appearances of the disease.

Manifestly, the only sensible thing to do, wherever it breaks out, is to recognize influenza for what it is—a disease as deadly as any epidemic to which the modern world is subject—and treat it accordingly.

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REPRESENTATIVE FAVORS FABRIC LAW IN LETTER

A national pure fabric law is favored by Senators Harding and Pomerene and Representative S. D. Fess. In letters which were written to the Greene County Sheep and Wool Growers Association, and which were read at the annual meeting of that organization Saturday afternoon, the statesmen said they could heartily endorse and would support such a measure. Their feelings regarding the matter were sought by President J. C. Williamson of the Greene County Sheep and Wool Growers' Association and County Farm Agent Ford S. Prince.

The local organization will unite with the Ohio and The National Sheep and Wool Growers' Association in backing such a measure. Such a law would compel manufacturers to label clothing or cloth as to the amount of wool, cotton or "shoddy" that it contains "shoddy" is worked over wool, in which the fabric is short and does not have the wearing quality of good wool.

R. A. Hammond of Columbus, who had charge of all wool which was handled and sold in Columbus last summer, addressed the local sheep and wool men at Saturday's meeting. This wool was handled through the Ohio Sheep and Wool Growers' Association, and was sold by it for the growers, direct to the manufacturers, eliminating the commission man. The farmer paid the low rate of five and one-half per cent for having his wool handled, graded and sold.

Mr. Hammond explained that every fleece was graded placed in its proper grade and sold upon its merits. He explained the different grades, the manner in which the wool is graded, and the manner in which it is tied up and bagged. He answered many questions which were put to him by the members.

J. C. Williamson was re-elected chairman of the Greene county association. The secretarial work will be

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handled through the Greene County Farm Bureau.

The chairman will appoint an executive committee later.

There are 96 members of the association and about 40 were present at Saturday's meeting.

It is estimated that there are 258 farmers in the county who own more than 15 sheep, and it is the intention of the association to make an effort to get most of them into the association.

While only 40,000 pounds of wool was handled in Columbus for the members of the local association this year, all of it was of excellent quality. Columbus handled wool and a half million pounds of fleeces for Ohio wool growers this year.

To Renovate Old Oil Paintings.

When old oil paintings have become dark and cracked they may be made to look like new by the following process, says the Illustrated World: Pour alcohol in a dish and put the picture over it, face downward. The fumes of the alcohol dissolve the paint of the picture, the cracks close up and the color becomes more fresh. Caution is absolutely necessary, as the paint may become so soft as to run together, thus spoiling the whole picture.

Never Touched Him!
A bullet, traveling straight for the heart of a Toledo policeman hit the officers badge, shattered it, ripped his coat and went off at an angle without touching his body.

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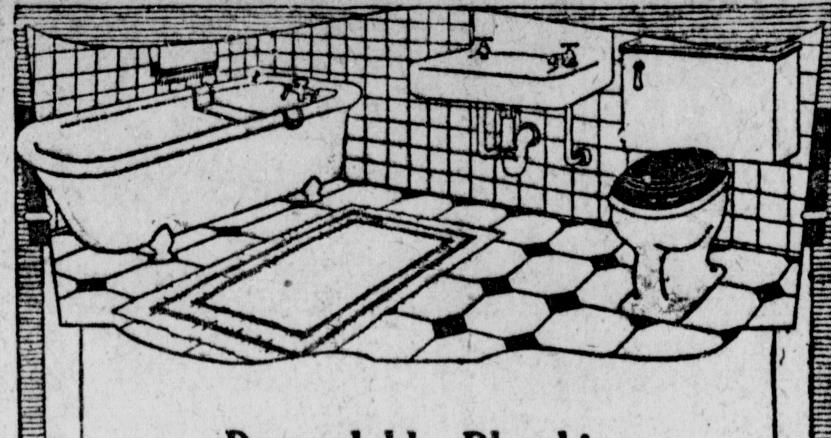
MAGIC AMUSES MANY AT THEATER FRIDAY

Regular old time magic of the "rabbit in the hat" sort, amused an audience at the opera house Friday night when the "Great Herrmann" appeared with his troupe of minstrel singers and dancers.

Herrmann himself was the big feature of the program and his magic tricks and his repertoire of new magic was interesting as well as amusing. The minstrel part was a lively change from the magic acts and Rose Washburn, Billy Heins and the Miller orchestra were exceedingly popular in this part.

The Integrated Goat.

The story of the Integrated Goat concerns the man who had a lawn to cut and no lawnmower. He was too poor to buy a lawnmower and he hated the labor of mowing, so he bought a goat. The goat saved him the labor by eating the grass, produced special milk for the baby, fertilized the lawn and ate a few tin cans on the side. That is a crude case of integrated effort. We pay tribute to the wisdom of this sort of effort in our popular proverb, "Killing two birds with one stone." This is also a crude figure. Real scientific integrated effort would require that we kill ten birds with one stone and get the stone back.—From the Nation's Business.



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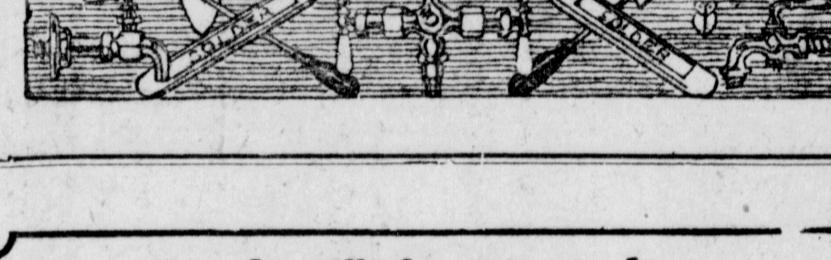
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To the Voters of Greene County The Eyes of All Ohio Are Upon You!

ALL OHIO is watching you on Tuesday to see if you are building for the future—to see if you are going to continue to lead, not follow—in things worth while to the progress of our county and state.

REMEMBER Greene County cannot stand still—she must go forward or backward—she needs badly NOW a modern hospital to serve the men, women and children of our county—in order to progress.

REMEMBER Colleges, Industries, Business Men and Farmers do not just happen to come and locate in our county—they come because we have a county we are proud of—the garden spot of Ohio.

REMEMBER keep them coming by voting for a modern hospital that is just as essential to the development, and welfare of our county as railroads, schools, industries and churches.

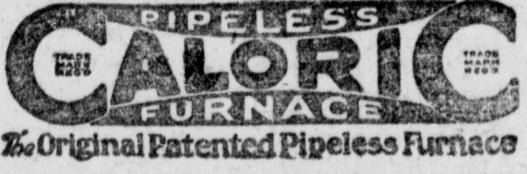
Go the Polls Tuesday and Prove to Ohio That Greene County is
Going to provide for her sick, injured and suffering
By Voting *For* Greene County Memorial Hospital

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There's a wealth of proof to show that your home may be thoroughly comfortable at a third or a half less fuel than you have been using. The Caloric Pipeless Furnace is a remarkable fuel conserving. Many say it saves half. Here is just one sample letter taken at random out of thousands which the manufacturers receive from pleased Caloric owners:

"I am heating very comfortably seven rooms and not using any more fuel than I did with a double heater, heating only two rooms." —F. S. SEIFERT."



Over fifty thousand homes, many of them in this state, have found this furnace the economical, common-sense method of keeping comfortable. They bought on a guarantee of real fuel saving and perfect satisfaction, and the Caloric made good.

One register delivers all the heat from the fuel directly into your living rooms and draws out the cold air, insuring an abundance of balmy, moist warmth right where you want it. The cellar is just right for the storage of perishable products.

The Caloric can be installed in a day. It is a triumph of engineering skill that embodies many patented features which have made it the leader and which are not found in imitations. Come in and see this wonderful furnace. We will tell you frankly whether it is adapted to your home. If we say it is, we will give you our personal guarantee that it will make good or we will take it out. Come in and talk it over.

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YE IRON FENCE AROUND LAWNS WHERE IS IT?

The passing of the iron fence! Like fifteen cent eggs, kaisers, flow mustaches, and the amber colored brew, it has been relegated to live only in the pages of history.

It does not require an ancient patriarch to remember when the front yard fence was a "thing of beauty and a joy forever." In those days like babies, bacteria and celluloid col-lars, everybody had 'em.

Where was the imposing residence with its imposing lawn, that did not boast its boundary fence and its iron deer. It seems that they were a common disease brought on by prosperity, the same as pewter tea sets, coaches and fours, and like monstrosities of a forgotten age.

Yet now but few lawns cling to the boundary fence. Forbidding they were for they gave to the house and grounds an air of assured snobbishness, a sort of gloominess, that seemed to be essential in those days to impart the real aristocratic flavor to the residence of the rich.

And even the County Court house was not spared a fence. The ancient edifice that once stood on the spot the new and imposing building now graces, shielded itself with a wall and iron rail fence. Its purpose 'tis said was to keep the loafers away and avoid the inevitable tramping upon the neatly trimmed greensward. Yet it served an opposite purpose, for its funny railings proved a most comfortable roosting place for the floating public and the grass suffered in ratio.

But withal, the boundary fence served a noble purpose. Many a neighborhood brawl in the old days was spared the "neighborhood housewife, and many a case that thrusts its sordid if amusing tale into police court would never have seen the light of day, had it been fostered during an earlier regime amid the surroundings of the late lamented iron fence.

For kids were kids then the same as now, and the neighbor's flowers were never up-rooted or your own potato vines trampled underfoot, because of the forbidding fence with its silent yet none the less stalwart protection.

Ask the county or city surveyor who found the greater part of his time involved in settling boundary disputes. The iron fence, the front yard boundary fence, settled for once and for all the petty boundary disputes in the old days. Now it is different. So all hail to the fence—it's beauty was questionable yet it served a noble purpose.

Chinese Calligraphy.

The Chinese, according to a Canton paper, recognize the extreme complexity of their written language. About 20 years ago, in the days of the emperor dowager, a scholar and reformer named Wang Chao, who held the highest obtainable literary degree, conceived the idea of a simplified form of Chinese writing. He invented a phonetic system of symbols, which was promptly branded revolutionary and suppressed, while its "radical" author was banished. Later, however, the idea has been introduced, and the government has tried a system of the same kind, but more complicated, without much success. Two missionaries of Tsang-chow have fared better in an effort to revive Wang Chao's phonetic script, which is based on the fact that, although the number of characters is vast, there are only 318 "word-sounds" in the Chinese language.

WORKS HARD TO AVERT FLU EPIDEMIC

Government and City Health Officials Warn People to Keep Clean.

Stay Away from People with Coughs and Colds.

"Avoid crowds if you want to avoid influenza," says Association for Improving the Conditions of New York.

Keep your hands clean, drink plenty of fresh water; sleep with windows open; eat three uniform meals a day including a good breakfast.

People who have catarrh or frequent colds invite influenza, declares a prominent Kentucky druggist.

The membrane of the throat and nose is raw, sore and tender, and makes a lovely abiding place for germs to thrive and multiply.

He advises an inexpensive home-made remedy that will bring relief in less than a day and will stop all discharge and sooth and heal the inflamed membrane in a few days.

Thousands are making this beneficial remedy at home and anyone who has catarrh or a cold can do the same.

Pour three-quarters of an ounce of Mentholized Aricine into a pint bottle, then fill the bottle with water that has been boiled.

Gargle the throat as directed and snuff or spray the liquid into the nostrils twice daily. It's a simple way to get rid of cold and catarrh and keeps the nasal passage and throat clean and healthy.

Nearly all druggists dispense Mentholized Aricine in vials containing exactly three-quarters of an ounce, which is all you need to make a pint of this healthful medicine.



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A Fair Substitute

By ALVAH JORDAN GARTH

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It had been a matter of pride to Bertha Lull when she married Alvin Price that he was a very handsome man of winning and agreeable manners. Every friend and acquaintance he made became an admirer. Blanche Vansant had tried her coquettish wiles, but Alvin was neither flirt nor trifler and when he married another there was a certain tinge of envy and jealousy.

Alvin was a traveling salesman for a large wholesale millinery house and had an established clientele. His route did not take him out of the state, and he never missed coming home Saturday until he announced to Bertha one day that he was expected by his firm to make a special rush trip covering his entire route within a month, to place a new hat braid that had arrived late and would be out of vogue with the end of the season.

Bertha and Blanche had always been good friends and the former was glad to have her old time school friend spend all the time she could spare in her company.

"I should not like to have a traveling man for a husband," said Blanche, "and particularly as handsome a one as Alvin. I always frankly considered that he was irresistible."

"Why, you ridiculous pessimist!" laughed Bertha. "Do you suppose Alvin ever even thinks of anybody but me?"

"He shouldn't, I'll admit," answered Blanche, "for you are a perfect little jewel of beauty and duty, but Alvin also attracts attention, and my cousin who visited us last week and who knows Alvin, says that among the roadmen not one of them dares to aspire to the marked partiality of the ladies as does Alvin, and that he is such a favorite that many of them won't give their trade to anybody else."

"Why, bless you! Blanche," observed Bertha artlessly, "how can the dear creatures help it? Was there ever such a genial, accommodating and helpful a fellow in the world?"

A week later a casual remark of Blanche set Bertha thinking and worrying. She repeated something her cousin had said about a Mrs. Adams, a milliner at Glenville. A fellow roadman had told of how Alvin would go out of his way to visit the lady, and that it was a subject of gay binnacle among other salesmen. Alvin came back home several days sooner than expected. Then all was forgotten with Bertha save solicitude and tenderness.

"I'm about done out with my long jaunt," Alvin told her. "Was laid up with a slight fever for two days. Doctor said I was due home for a rest. Too bad, for I had finished my entire route except six little towns down in Walden county. Bertha, dear, I want you to write a little for me to the house, explaining that I'm laid up for a spell, but covered everything but the towns marked on this list," and he handed Bertha a written sheet. She started and flushed as she read among them that of Glenville, the town where Mrs. Adams did business.

"Alvin," she said, "will it take much time or work to go to these places and see your customers?"

"Very little of either," replied Alvin, for they are among my surest clients."

"Then," said Bertha with animation, "why not let me take your place and finish the trip? Give me the samples and instructions. You will be proud to find out what an eager little business woman I am."

Alvin demurred, but Bertha finally overcame his scruples. She felt secretly guilty as she found herself on a train, for she realized that her main purpose was to see some of those "impassable milliners" with whom Alvin was such a favorite and the sting of Blanche Vansant's unkind insinuation satisfied yet.

Elmore was the first town Bertha visited. It had but one milliner and as Bertha entered her store the woman stared at her fixedly.

"Why, you must be Mrs. Price!" she exclaimed.

"How did you know that?" questioned Bertha in amazement.

"Because you just placed Mr. Price's sample case on the counter, and the number of times that proud husband of yours has shown his customers your picture in the back of his watch couldn't be counted."

Bertha went to the next town, Glenville, with her heart cheered and comforted. Still, she entered the store of Mrs. Adams all agitated. A middle aged woman sat sewing on a hat.

"Are you Mrs. Adams?" inquired Bertha.

"Oh, no, I am her daughter. Mother, someone wishes to see you."

A woman gray-haired and bent and wrinkled appeared. She scanned Bertha curiously, recognizing her instantly. The moment Bertha told her mission the old lady folded her in her motherly arms.

"You are welcome as the flowers in spring, you sweet love!" she spoke, kissing Bertha rapturously. "Has that dear good husband of yours told you how he saved me from losing all I had, and comes clear out of his way to look over my books and help me along?"

Humbled, repentant, loving and trusting her husband more than she ever had done, Bertha Price returned home with order book and heart full to repletion.

Hard on the Trousers.

Though the wonderful mechanism of an artificial leg is of enormous value to those who are obliged to wear it, there is one very serious item to be reckoned with, and that is its tendency to create a big bill for trousers. An officer recently exhibited a tear in his trouser leg caused by some part of the mechanical joint catching in the cloth, and the daily task of pushing the artificial leg into the trousers wears them out in other directions all too soon in these days of costly tailoring.

MOTHERS OF OHIO

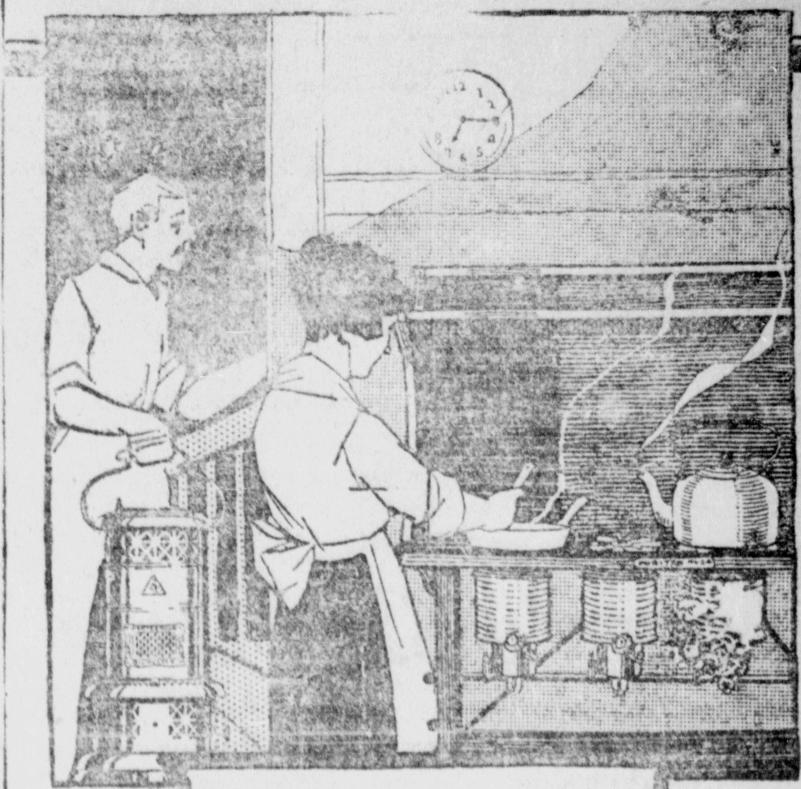
Conneaut, Ohio:—Always during expectancy I would become so lame that I would be bedfast, my back would be so stiff that I could not move by myself. I tried various medicines but not until I took Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription did I get relief. I consider "Favorite Prescription" a perfect tonic for the expectant mother, for it not only strengthened me and relieved me of all pain and lameness but I had comparatively no suffering, and my babies were hardy and strong—absolutely perfect—mentally and physically, which I considered due to the fact that the tonic I took, "Favorite Prescription," contained no harmful ingredient!—Mrs. FRANCIE LUCE.

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I have thought so well of "Favorite Prescription" ever since that I am always recommending it to my friends and all who have taken it agree with me that it is the very best woman's medicine there is!—Mrs. W. H. WOODFORD, 115 Fairlawn Ave.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription makes weak women strong and sick women well. Druggists sell it in liquid or tablets. Send 10 cents to the Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., for trial package.

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Ordinance No. 84

An ordinance to issue bonds of the City of Xenia, Ohio, in the sum of Three Hundred Twenty-five Thousand Dollars for the purpose of creating a fund for the purchase and extension of The Xenia Water Company.

WHEREAS, on the 24th day of July, 1919, the City Commission of the City of Xenia, Ohio, by Resolution No. 67, duly adopted on said date and declaring it necessary to issue bonds for the City of Xenia, Ohio, in the sum of Three Hundred Twenty-five Thousand Dollars for the purpose of creating a fund for the purchase and extension of The Xenia Water Company; and by the same resolution determined to submit the question of the issuance and sale of said bonds in said amount and for the purpose aforesaid, to a vote of the electors of the said City of Xenia, Ohio, at a special election to be held in said City for that purpose on the 25th day of September, 1919; and

WHEREAS, after due notice to said electors voting at said election upon the issuance and sale of said bonds in said amount and for the purpose aforesaid, was on the 25th day of September, 1919, submitted to vote of the qualified electors of said City of Xenia, Ohio, at a special election held for that purpose; and

WHEREAS, two-third of said electors voting at said special election upon the issuance and sale of said bonds as aforesaid, voted in favor thereof;

NOW, THEREFORE, Be it ordained by the City Commission of the City of Xenia, State of Ohio:

SECTION 1. That the bonds of the said City of Xenia, Ohio, be issued in the sum of Three Hundred Twenty-five Thousand Dollars for the purpose of creating a fund for the purchase and extension of the Xenia Water Company as aforesaid; each of said bonds shall be in the denomination of One Thousand Dollars, numbered consecutively from one to three hundred and twenty-five inclusive; said bonds shall bear date of January 1st, 1920 and shall mature as follows:

Nos. 1 to 10 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1921;

Nos. 11 to 20 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1922;

Nos. 21 to 30 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1923;

Nos. 31 to 40 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1924;

Nos. 41 to 50 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1925;

Nos. 51 to 61 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1926;

Nos. 62 to 72 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1927;

Nos. 73 to 83 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1928;

Nos. 84 to 94 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1929;

Nos. 95 to 105 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1930;

Nos. 106 to 116 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1931;

Nos. 117 to 127 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1932;

Nos. 128 to 138 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1933;

Nos. 139 to 149 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1934;

Nos. 150 to 160 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1935;

Nos. 161 to 171 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1936;

Nos. 172 to 182 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1937;

Nos. 183 to 193 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1938;

Nos. 194 to 204 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1939;

Nos. 205 to 215 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1940;

Nos. 216 to 226 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1941;

Nos. 227 to 237 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1942;

Nos. 238 to 248 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1943;

"ENLISTMENT WEEK" TO BE OBSERVED HERE BY BAPTIST CHURCH

The Northern Baptist convention in arranging the year's program for the "Forward Movement" have designated this week as "Enlistment Week," for Baptist churches and have instituted "The Family Group Plan," in the local churches. This plan will be observed by First Baptist church of this city on next Monday and will continue through the week. The scheduled program is as follows:

Monday Evening—East side, at the home of Mrs. Charles Taylor, Monroe and East Main streets, leaders, Mrs. O. Dice and Mrs. C. Taylor, Speaker Rev. A. Reed.

Monday Evening—North side at the home of Mrs. Howard Jones, North Galloway street, leaders, Mrs. H. Jones and Mrs. M. Collins, Speaker, Mrs. Lulu C. Quisenberry.

Tuesday Evening—Orient Hill, at the home of Mrs. A. J. Wilson, South Columbus street, leaders, Miss Anna Norckauer and Miss Ruth Maley, Speaker, the pastor.

Wednesday Evening—At the church. The pastor will give a survey talk on Assura.

Thursday Evening—Spring Hill, at the home of Mrs. Albert Oglesbee, leaders, Mrs. A. Oglesbee and Mrs. Carl Van Horn, Speaker, the pastor.

Friday Evening—West end, at the home of Mrs. Robert Fuller, West Second street; leaders, Miss Harriet McCarty and Mrs. Carey Dunham, Speaker, Mrs. L. C. Quisenberry.

Meetings will begin at 7:15 p. m., The families are urged to be present and the public is cordially invited. The week's program will have as its initial feature the presence next Sunday morning at the church of Rev. H. E. Dudley, of Burma, who will describe his work and its conquests. He will speak to the Sunday school and church congregation.

LETTERS FROM OUR READERS

Editor Gazette and Republican:

Under the caption: "Warm contribution to 'our' hospital," a soldier, who fails to give his name makes an unwholesome and thoroughly prejudiced attack in the last issue of a county paper, upon the proposed Greene County Memorial Hospital.

Hiding safely behind the nom de plume "A. E. F. Inclusive," he flagrantly flays the good people behind the movement for a hospital, hinting at graft, assaulting the project as attempting to succeed by using the prestige of a "memorial for the soldiers" and stating broadly that the soldier vote will not be behind the movement.

The letter, on its face, is a deliberate, one-sided attempt to throw a monkey-wrench into the machinery of a project that is so big and so general in its far-reaching service, that in itself it belittles the smallness of the voter who would attempt to stand in its path.

The writer also takes the opportunity of encroaching upon the generosity of the public press by shamefully attacking the physicians of the county who are furthering the movement, a profession that during the late unpleasantness has covered itself with glory, and whose members have braved death in the same camps and on the same battlefields that the letter refers to, in an attempt to save the lives of the soldiers, a matter the writer seems to hold lightly. No Americans acquitted themselves more honorably in their efforts whether at home or abroad, than did the medical fraternity.

While it may be true that soldiers no more than any one else are "given to admiring last resting places and gravestones, and their monuments, or even hospitals, the home of the sick and the dying," still all the arts of modern science have failed to reveal a way to avoid having such institutions, and yet modern science has taught that the institution of such hospitals in the attempt to fight disease and death from injury, has greatly reduced the amount of these distressing things that are going on the world.

As for the soldier side of the questions, the fact that the miseries of sickness, disease and injury have been more closely brought home to the soldier than to any one else, should convince them of the need of a hospital and the good it can accomplish. At a meeting of the executive committee of Joseph P. Foody, Post 95, of the American Legion here, the movement for a hospital was heartily endorsed and it is believed that in the main, the men who were in the service all over the county are back of the project.

SECTION 5. There shall be levied and collected annually during the period for which said bonds have to run by taxation on all taxable property on the tax duplicate of the City of Xenia, Ohio, an amount sufficient to pay the interest thereon as herein provided, and to provide a sinking fund for the payment of said bonds at maturity, provided that the amount of such annual levy shall be such as to provide for and make up any deficiency in the revenues of the said City of Xenia, Ohio, available for the payments of such interest and the creation of such sinking fund for the revenues and the proceeds derived from the operation of said water works plant, or otherwise; and the proper taxing authorities shall compute the amount of such general tax levies and certify the same for collection as other taxes are certified and collected.

SECTION 6. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed this 11th day of December, 1919.

J. THOR CHARTERS,
President of City Commission

Attest:

GEORGE H. STOKES,
Clerk of City Commission.

12-15

"A. E. F. Inclusive" ever saw the light of day.

In hunting at graft behind the project for a hospital, "A. E. F. Inclusive" is assailing the honesty and integrity of men who have been in the van of progress in this county for years. He is maliciously attacking the reputation of citizens, who have the interests of the community at heart and in assailing the medical fraternity, he is attacking men who while he was in the service, were going to untold ends in their endeavor to assist the government in bringing a successful victory and an unalloyed peace to the world.

Quoting Dr. Frank Garland, head of the welfare department of Dayton, and a man thoroughly in touch with the service rendered by the public hospital, "the man should have his head examined who would vote against a proposition of this nature."

But fortunately the right-minded people of Greene county, the thinking people who have studied the possibilities and the need of a hospital here, not only for the service it renders its patients, but the development it offers the medical profession and the opportunity it affords in the well-organized fight of disease will lay little stress on the flamboyant and absurd communication from "A. E. F. Inclusive."

In fact, even if the contributor's viewpoint is really sincere, his crude effort to excite sentiment against the project is considerably more likely to take the shape of a boomerang and result in an opposite effect from what he hopes.

(Signed)

GEORGE H. STOKES.
A. E. F.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

Mrs. Lottie Long, of Columbus, died of elephantiasis, she weighed 600 pounds. The coffin had to be placed in the yard.

Warden Coffin, of the state penitentiary has ordered Otis Hurley, assassin and prison demon to be kept in his cell. Frank O'Neil, stabbed nine time by Hurley is recovering.

James Dunn, who has been employed at Saenger's meat store, will go into business for himself at Third street and Cincinnati avenue.

An effort is being made to establish a Wells-Fargo and American Express office in Xenia, to use the traction lines for transportation.

The injunction suit of R. L. Gowdy against the city council to prevent the letting of the electric light contract to the Xenia Electric Light Co., is before the Circuit Court, Dayton.

Trainmen report a heavy fall of snow at Richmond and Indianapolis.

XENIA MARKETS

New wheat 62c.

Corn 26c.

Oats, 22c.

Flour \$2.50@4.00 per barrel.

Hay, timothy, \$9.00.

Potatoes, 45c per bu.

Butter, 18c per pound.

Eggs, 20c per dozen.

Poultry, \$2.50@6.00 per doz.

Cattle butchers fat cows, \$2.50@

\$3.50, steers, \$1.00@\$1.65, shippers, \$4.25@\$4.50.

Sheep \$3.00@\$3.50.

Lambs, \$3.50@\$4.00.

Hogs, butchers, \$3.75@\$4.00.

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HELPS PICK SITE FOR G. O. P. MEET



Miss Mary Garrett Hay.

A. J. Sweet, state representative on the national Republican committee from Maine, sat in the high council of the G. O. P. at Washington recently to help choose a site for the convention next June. It was the first time that a woman has had a vote in such a gathering. Chicago was selected for the convention.

(Signed)

GEORGE H. STOKES.

A. E. F.

AGED RESIDENT DIES
AT PORT WILLIAM

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon for Miss Maria Woolery, who died at her home in Port William last Wednesday evening, after an illness lasting ten weeks, following a stroke of paralysis.

Miss Woolery was 72 years of age and was born and raised near Port William, moving into the village two years ago. Three brothers survive, Harrison, of Lenworth, Ohio, Asbury, of Paintersville, Harvey of near Port William, and a sister, Etta, of Port William.

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COST OF HOSPITAL TO TAX PAYER IS BUT FEW CENTS YEAR

The cost of the proposed Greene County Memorial Hospital in dollars and cents to the taxpayer is 3½ cents semi-annually on every \$100 worth of taxable property. In other words a property valuation of \$1000 would mean a semi-annual cost of 35 cents, while on \$10,000 the cost would only be \$3.50. As pointed out by those interested in the hospital, this represents but a small investment in a means of life insurance that is worth several times this amount to the beneficiary.

With a crying need existing in Greene County for an adequate hospital the question of the bond issue for the proposed County Memorial Hospital appeals to the common sense of every voter in the county.

The parties interested in the promotion of the hospital bond issue are asking no more from the people of Greene County than is the custom in any other community. Other communities seeing the need of adequate facilities for taking care of the sick and injured, have long since waved aside personal prejudices and voted for the establishment of such hospitals.

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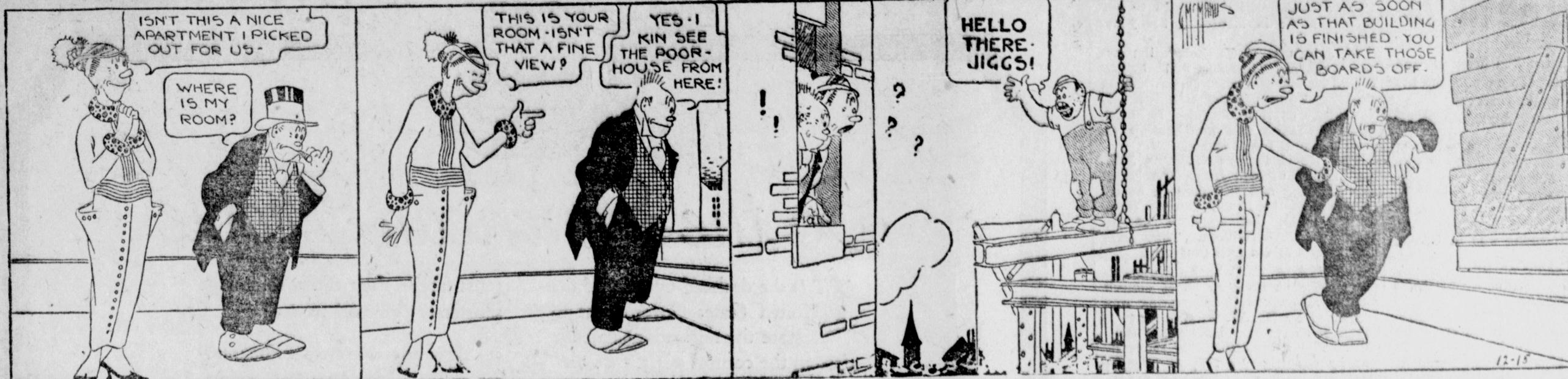


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YOUNG MAN—18-25, for railway mail clerks, \$1,200-\$1,500. Experience unnecessary. Examinations Jan. 17. For particular, write John Leonard, former civil service examiner, 1324 Equitable bldg., Washington, D. C. 12-18

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HAVE TIME AND MONEY Broken cylinders, crank cases for gas engines, farm machinery of all kinds, promptly and satisfactorily welded.

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WANTED—A good steady, gentlemanly salesman, to handle a Ward's wagon in Greene county. No experience needed. For full information, write promptly to Dr. Ward's Medical Company, Winona, Minn. Established 1856. Monewks

THOUSANDS railway mail clerks needed. Examination January 17. Salaries \$1,300-\$2,100. Expenses paid. Sample questions free. Column bus. institute, Columbus, O. 12-18

WANTED—Middle age white woman for house work, willing to go to Cincinnati. Bell 895-W. 12-16

WANTED—Corn huskers, Emmett Smith, 4026-11. 12-15

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WANTED—Good coal heating stove. Bell 826-R. 12-15

WANTED TO RENT—Six room house on or before March 1. Party will take good care of property. Address "R. M." in Gazette. 12-17

Call Gazette Office

POULTRY WANTED.

POULTRY WANTED. If you have poultry to sell it will pay you to call us Fletcher Grocery, Bell 449 or Ctr. 297.

WANTED—Black Langshan cockerels. Mrs. H. E. Mills, R. 5, Xenia, Ctr. 4-151, Cedarville. 12-16

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REAL ESTATE.

LONG & MARSHALL—Real Estate and Loans. Will buy or sell your property or loan you money. Will pay 6% interest. To see me, Office 19 South Detroit St. Gazette bldg. Both phones. 6-117

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MISCELLANEOUS

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JOANS ON EVERYTHING. Notes and bonds bought. Farms, houses, etc. lots for sale. John Harbine, Allen building. Telephones. 12-271

FOR SALE MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—Trained ferrets. Call 1011-W. Bell, Chas. W. Bird. 12-14

FOR SALE—Also all size pipe and fittings. 117 Cincinnati ave. Either phone 144. 12-111

SECOND-HAND Stoves, furniture and carpets, bought and sold. Repairs of all kinds. Gas stoves delivered and connected. L. A. Judy, North King street between Main and Market. Bell phone 735. Ctr. 157.

FOR SALE—Four ft. cord wood. Bell phone 4015-2.

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WEATHER

Ohio—Fair tonight and Tuesday except snow flurries near Lake Erie; colder tonight.

PRICE THREE CENTS

MINE WAGE SCALE WILL BE TAKEN UP BY COMMISSION

Wilson Expected to Name Members of Commission This Week—Normal Industrial Situation in Sight.

Washington, Dec. 15.—Acting President John L. Lewis of the United Mine Workers of America, who is attending the labor reconstruction conference here, predicted that by tonight 95 per cent of the miners would be back to work. "Though it has been a difficult task to reach all of the men in the short time since the decision was reached," he said, "it is certain that they will go back."

Restrictions imposed on the use of fuel during the strike gradually are being removed under the discretionary authority to rescind such orders given regional railroad directors. Thus the working week opened with a nearer approach to a normal industrial situation than any week since the strike was made effective, Nov. 1.

Although most of the power to rescind the various restrictions has been placed in the hands of the regional directors, the railroad administration is continuing to exercise a supervisory control over bituminous coal and coke. This has been made necessary not alone by the resignation of Fuel Administrator Garfield, but also by the resignations of Cyrus Guernsey, Jr., assistant to Dr. Garfield, and John A. Alport, chief engineer, both of whom came back to Washington to serve with their chief when the fuel administration was re-taken. These resignations have practically put an end to the reinstated activities of the administration.

Appointment by President Wilson of a commission to supersede the fuel administrator is expected this week. No intimations of the personnel have been given in official quarters, though the basis decided upon will make its composition include one mine worker, one coal mine operator and a representative of the public. The three will have power to readjust wage scales above the present advance given miners if desired, and also to advance the selling price of coal.

The scale committee of the operators of the central competitive field probably will meet in Cleveland Wednesday to consider their attitude toward the strike settlement.

RAILROADS ORDERED TO RELEASE COAL

Orders received by Freight Agent W. R. Torrence of the Pennsylvania Lines here Monday released conditionally the coal that the railroads have been holding up during the fuel shortage.

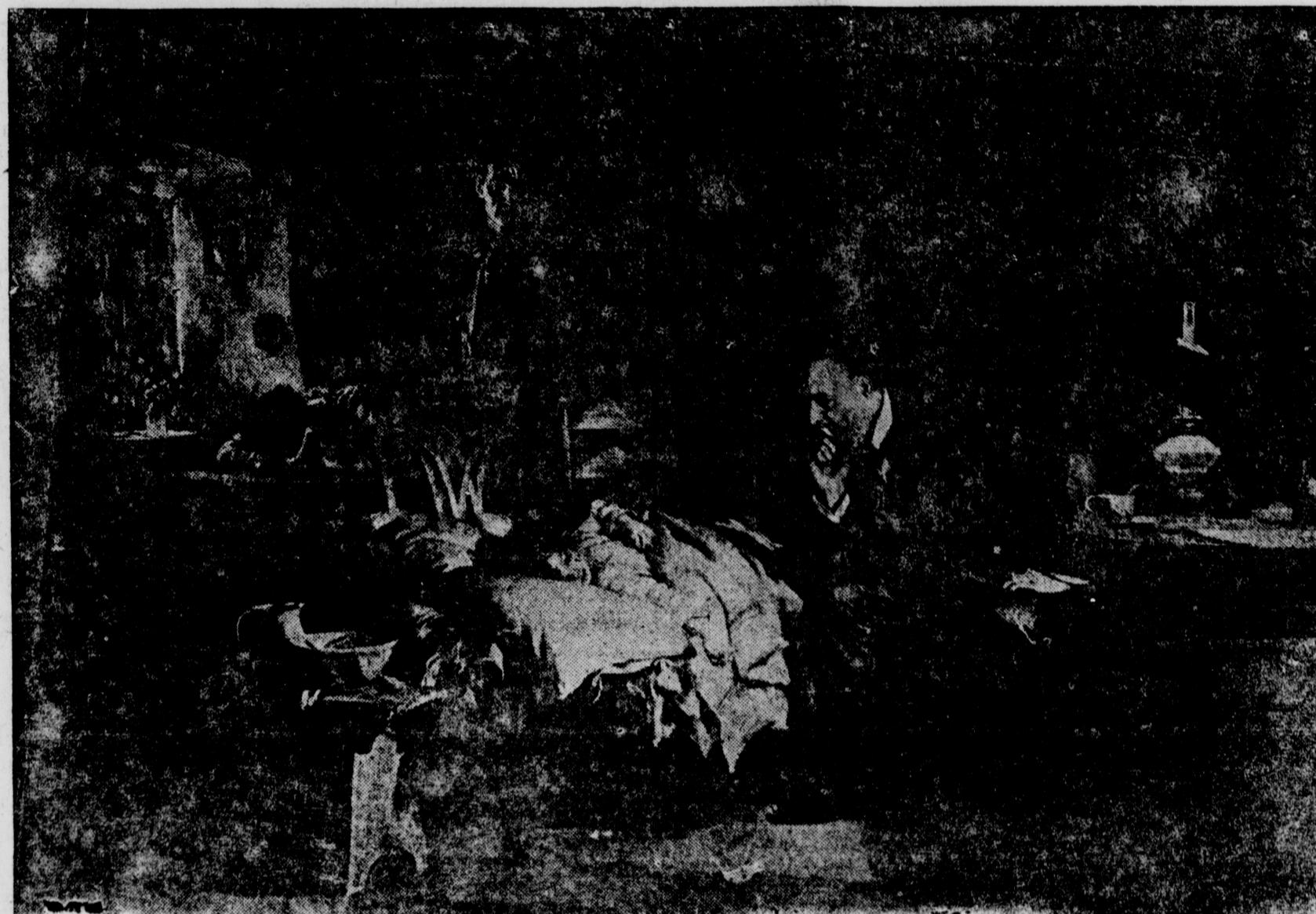
The conditions implied in the order are that if a dealer has a thirty days supply of coal unloaded in his yards that further coal shipped to him shall be held up and that if a manufacturer has more than a ten day's supply of fuel on hand that coal shipments to him shall also be held up.

This coal must eventually reach its destination however, and will be delivered as soon as the dealers or the manufacturers' supply goes below the minimum given.

This order relieves the possibility of a coal shortage for domestic purposes or an industrial shut-down here and there will be no danger from now on of railroads seizing and holding coal consigned to either manufacturers or dealers before it is delivered.



Old Masterpiece Has Local Appeal



UNION IS SOUGHT WITH FARMERS BY A.F.O.L. OFFICIALS

Federation's Co-operative Committee Appointed at Atlantic City Convention Meets at Capitol.

Washington, Dec. 15.—Another effort to establish relations with farmers' organizations is being made by the American Federation of Labor. The federation's co-operative committee appointed at the Atlantic City convention is in conference here and met with the representatives of several farmers' groups.

In view of the declaration of principles adopted by the conference it was generally believed in labor quarters that the co-operation committee had made greater progress toward a common ground on which to meet the farmers' representatives than has any previous union group.

Organized labor was declared by several spokesmen to be anxious to get organized farmers in the fold for the campaign which the workers plan to wage in the forthcoming election.

In this connection the statements made in the declaration, adopted by the conference, appealing to "all of those who contribute to society to unite in furtherance of the principles" were explained by labor leaders to mean that organized labor must be joined by the "producing classes if its victory is to be complete." These leaders asserted that the problems faced by organized labor are much the problems of the agricultural class because they are both political and economic.

Every pressure is being brought to bear on the farmer groups to line them up for labor's program, it was indicated at the Federation of Labor headquarters. Efforts, it was said, would be made to show the farmers that the conference's declaration against radicalism means as much to the tiller of the soil as to the industrial worker, and that the organized aid of the country worker is needed in the fight against "autocratic control and monopolistic maneuvering of the nation's raw supplies."

The whole "platform" of the conference was understood to have been drafted with a view to making it as acceptable as possible to the farmers. While it was noted that a strong sentiment for some political party declaration permeated the general conference, this, as well as the proposed endorsement of the new labor party, fell by the wayside because of the likelihood that it would be acceptable to few farmers, labor delegates said.

BLAKE BOY DEAD; MOTHER IS HELD FOR HIS MURDER

Atlantic City, N. J., Dec. 15.—The body of James M. Blake, Jr., 6-year-old son of a wealthy Philadelphia insurance broker, who was declared by his mother to have been kidnapped last Friday night, washed ashore at Ventnor yesterday. Mrs. Blake has been placed under arrest.

Mrs. Blake, who on Friday night crawled to the home of Benjamin Fox in Ventnor and told of being attacked by two negroes, who, after beating her, robbed her of a handbag and then fled with her child, is charged with the murder of the boy. She was removed to the Atlantic City hospital, where she is guarded by a policeman. She is said to be suffering from a nervous collapse.

The boy's body was found less than five blocks from the pier in Ventnor where Mrs. Blake's handbag was recovered and about the same distance from the scene of the alleged kidnapping. Mrs. Blake is said to have been suffering from a nervous ailment for a number of years.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake have been estranged for some time. The boy and a 10-year-old daughter had been in the custody of their father and had been permitted to go out with their mother.

Coal Production Reaches 80 Per Cent

Washington, Dec. 15.—Coal production will reach 80 per cent of normal today, it was announced today by the railroad administration after early reports had been received from the coal fields. In Kansas and Ohio alone the production is still considerably below normal and the situation is regarded as serious in these states.

The railroad administration today announced the lifting of restrictions on bunkering. The bunkering of ships will be placed on a permit basis and coal will be issued to ships in the following order:

Inland and coastwise vessels, overseas vessels, foreign overseas vessels. This order will permit a number of foreign vessels which have been tied up for lack of fuel to sail.

Perhaps every reader of the Gazette and Republican is familiar with the famous old picture "The Doctor," by Sir Luke Fildes, which hangs in the National Gallery in London.

If so, is there one who has not felt a pang of sorrow when its full meaning dawned upon him.

The poor little lad, in the midst of poverty, propped up on an improvised cot, made from chairs and pillows, with the doctor helplessly awaiting the end, while father stands with set jaw and squared shoulders, gathering courage to meet the unbelievable fact that in some way, for some unaccountable reason his little one is leaving him forever, and the mother, lost in anguish, has left the little one's side, in utter despair.

Where did this happen—the picture

was finished, across the water, ages ago, but the incident has been repeating itself right here at home time after time, ever since.

Back in these days, the present day modern hospital was not known, but why, now, do we allow our very neighbors to experience this same ordeal and go without the necessary comforts of the sick room.

Perhaps your neighbor will be the next. Will you, with your vote Tuesday deprive him of what his country should give him—proper protection in the time of his greatest need—when his loved ones are hovering on the brink. Think what your vote may mean to the other people in this community. You are your brother's keeper. Forget your pocketbooks and vote right.

DAVID GRIFFITH AND PARTY SAFE AFTER VOYAGE

Miami, Fla., Dec. 15.—The yacht Grey Duck, on which David W. Griffith, motion picture producer, and a party of 36 left here Wednesday, arrived last evening at Nassau, Bahamas Islands, with all on board safe, a radio message received by the Miami Herald from Nassau said.

The yacht, which was four days overdue on her arrival at Nassau, encountered heavy seas and members of the party had been without food for three days, the message said. Two passengers were swept overboard during the voyage, but were rescued.

The message said the Grey Duck almost capsized and the pilot was injured, and others on board were forced to take their turn at the wheel while the little craft wallowed in the seas.

Injured Linemen Still Improving

I. C. Shaw, Dayton Power and Light lineman injured when a pole on which he was working Thursday fell to the ground, causing him to sustain a fractured skull still continues to improve at the McClellan Hospital, according to Dr. W. A. Galloway, attending physician.

It is believed now that if he passes through the secondary effects following such accidents that he will recover, although he is not yet out of danger. Herbert Shaw, lineman for the same company, who was seriously burned by a high tension wire in Dayton, the same afternoon as the accident here, is also improving according to word from Miami Valley Hospital where the injured man is confined.

There are sincere hopes now for his recovery.

Songs Now in Jail

New York, Dec. 15.—His desire to show that he could "sing better than Caruso" landed Peter Johnson, a stone mason, in jail today. Johnson smashed a plate glass window in a music store by beating time with his arms.

CALL CHIEF'S HAND ON MEXICAN FUSS SEE INTERVENTION

Carranza Must Be "Spanked" is Opinion of Washington before Kidnapping and Lawlessness Can be Overcome.

Washington, Dec. 15.—President Wilson's hand may be forced by Carranza. He is known to be watching the Mexican situation with anxiety and the prediction is being freely made here that he must soon abandon his policy of "watchful waiting."

Congress is watching the border with blood in its eye. Senators and congressmen on both sides of the political fence openly express their opinion that Carranza needs to be spanked and are firm in the belief that unless this is done in some form or other and in drastic fashion, the present outburst of kidnappings, murders and property outrages will go on, multiplying.

Despite the supposed attitude of President Wilson against intervention in Mexico, it is known he fully backed up Secretary Lansing in the latter's firm stand in the case of kidnapping, arrest and imprisonment of consular agent William O. Jenkins by the Mexican authorities of Puebla; and at sometime in that affair the United States appeared within one ace of armed action. Even the president's critics admit that while he may not have been quick to leap into a fray he makes a thorough job of it when he leaps.

Significance is attached to the news that the department of justice is sending a number of special agents to the Mexican frontier, under John C. Suter, assistant to the chief of the bureau of investigation and charged with keeping the border country under close surveillance. Reports have reached Washington that almost anything may be expected in that vicinity and the administration no doubt wishes to have first hand information on all that goes on.

TRAINS ON LOCAL ROADS REINSTATE

The three trains removed from the schedule of the Pennsylvania lines, and the two trains taken off the Baltimore & Ohio schedule last week because of the coal shortage, were reinstated Monday by orders sent out over the divisions.

The settlement of the coal strike and the fact that the miners are now returning to work, was the cause of reinstatement of the train service and puts train service through here on both roads back on its original schedule.

NO CONCESSIONS WILL BE MADE BY WILSON IN THE TREATY FIGHT

President Places Blame On Senate and Says He Has no Compromise in Mind—Situation Believed to be Hopeless at Washington Today.

SENATE LEADERS ISSUE WARNING ON RAIL BILLS

Washington, Dec. 15.—Declaring that he had "no compromise or concession of any kind in mind" and would make no move toward the peace treaty's disposition, President Wilson said he would continue to hold the Republican members of the senate responsible for results and conditions attending delay.

The president's position, regarded as peculiarly significant in view of the recent discussion in the senate of a compromise, was set forth in the following from the White House:

"It was learned from the highest authority at the executive offices that the hope of the Republican leaders of the senate that the president would presently make some move which will relieve the situation with regard to the treaty is without foundation; he has no compromise or concession of any kind in mind, but intends so far as he is concerned that the Republican leaders of the senate shall continue to bear the undivided responsibility for the fate of the treaty and the present condition of the world in consequence of that fate."

The White House statement apparently had no effect in changing the treaty situation. Democratic leaders, endorsing the president's views, declared that it did not preclude a senate compromise, and that compromise efforts would proceed. Republican leaders reiterated that the president was responsible for the present status and must make the first move toward a solution. Senators hoping to kill the treaty alone expressed satisfaction.

On one point only, apparently, were all senate factions in harmony—namely, that decisive action on the treaty probably would be deferred until next month, after the proposed holiday recess of congress, planned to end Jan. 5.

Senator Hitchcock, commenting on the White House statement, declared that the Democrats would continue efforts for compromising the reservations and that the senate and not the president must act first. "The president says the whole matter is in the hands of the senate, and I agree with him," said Mr. Hitchcock. He declared positively that the Democrats never would consent to ratification of the treaty without the league of nations and would not accept the plan offered by Senator Knox, Republican, Pennsylvania, to ratify the peace treaty and leave the league question for decision by the voters.

Senator Borah of Idaho, Republican member of the foreign relations committee and prominent among the treaty's implacable foes, in a statement charged that large financial interests were engaged in propaganda favoring a senate compromise and also proposed to keep the treaty and the league from being passed on by the people during the ensuing presidential campaign.

ALLIES DRAFT NOTE TO THE EX-KAISER

London, Dec. 15.—The allies are understood to be drafting a joint note to Holland demanding the extradition of the ex-kaiser.

Sir Gordon Hewart, the attorney general of England, has now completed all the plans for the trial, it was learned today.

The trial of the former German emperor was one of the questions considered at the conference between Premier Lloyd George and Premier Clemenceau.

EXTRA FARE TRAIN DELAYED BY WRECK

Pennsylvania passenger train No. 31 an extra fare through train to St. Louis was held up for three hours in this city Monday morning when the engine, tender and first trucks of the baggage car were derailed near the east end yards near the Ervin Bros. & Davis elevator.

The train is due in here at 7:54 in the morning and did not leave until eleven o'clock. The local wrecking crew pulled the trucks of the baggage coach back on the tracks, and the rest of the train was detoured around the engine, and a new engine supplied to take it on to St. Louis. Passengers on the train pay extra fare for quick non-stop service and the railroad pays a bonus for delays.

AUCTION DATES RESERVED

- Dec. 16—E. Stephens
- Jan. 2—Ralph Howell & Sons
- Jan. 2—S. A. Weaver
- Jan. 5—Perry Dardig
- Jan. 13—Greene Co. Big Type
- P. C. Breeders' Assn.
- Jan. 19—Tomlinson and McCoy
- and O. A. Dobbins
- Jan. 21—J. P. Zell
- Feb. 4—W. J. Wilson
- Feb. 4—Lewis Pennewit
- Feb. 5—J. F. Harshman
- Feb. 12—Roby Bartlett
- Feb. 16—Forest Badorf
- Feb. 17—Ernest Bradford
- Feb. 18—D. L. Miller
- Feb. 19—D. K. Froping
- Feb. 25—Cornelius Conner

Local Items

Miss Clara Wright, who has a government position in Washington, has arrived home for a three weeks' vacation. Her sister, Miss Mildred, who is employed in the department of railroad administration, is expected home later in the week.

GET IT AT DONGES.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Conklin, Miss Millie Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Earley and son Able, and Mrs. V. E. Eavey start Monday evening for Florida to spend the winter. They will go direct to Tampa.

Highest prices paid for live stock, chickens, butter and eggs. Cloverleaf Delicatessen. Both phones. 12-19

Mrs. William H. Kenyon, of New York, will be here the last of the week to spend the Christmas season with her mother, Mrs. Mary A. Kinney, and other relatives at the Kinney home. Mr. Kenyon will join her for Christmas.

Wanted, right away. Young man to work in the advertising department at the Gazette office. Experience unnecessary. 12-10

Mrs. J. W. Barger, of Leesburg, mother of Mrs. Paul Owens is at the McCellan Hospital convalescing from surgical operation. Her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Barger, and her brother-in-law and sister-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. K. R. Teachnor, of Leesburg, motored to Xenia Sunday to visit her at the hospital.

Aeroplane Caps for men and boys, 2.00 and \$1.50. Higgins & Phillips. 12-15-16

Miss Mary Kelbie has gone to Philadelphia to spend some time with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Kelbie. The Kelbies are just moving back to Philadelphia, where they formerly lived, and Miss Mary accompanied her sister-in-law and the children on the journey. Mr. Kelbie has been in Philadelphia for some time.

Toques for kids 75c. Higgins & Phillips. 12-15-16

Wreaths for the cemetery, all kinds magnolia, Statue Thistle, Rusius only, wreaths that last all winter—50¢ to \$2.50. Telephone your orders we will place them on the graves Xmas morning. Engle Floral Company, Dayton Hill. 12-17

Neckwear for men 65c and up. Higgins & Phillips. 12-15-16

Miss Gladys McClellan, who is employed in one of the government departments at Washington, has arrived in Xenia to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McClellan.

Our store open evenings until after Xmas. Higgins & Phillips. 12-15-16

Charles Cartwright of Wilmington, as in Xenia Sunday, coming to see us uncle, Charles Harrison of Rogers reef, who is convalescing from a serious illness.

Open evenings. Tiffany Jewelry Store. adv-12-19

Mrs. B. L. Scybold of New York City, is visiting her niece, Mrs. Clyde Smith of the Springfield pike. She expects to remain over the holidays.

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BLISS NATIVE HERB TABLETS

TONIGHT AT BEDTIME. If you feel out-of-sorts, run-down or "all in" from over-exertion, or if you are constipated, just sit down and take BLISS NATIVE HERB TABLETS. In severe cases of headache or rheumatism pains two tablets may be taken. You will feel up next morning feeling very much better. BLISS NATIVE HERB TABLETS not gently, but effectively on the kidney liver and bowels. The dollar box contains 200 tablets and usually lasts six months. Get the medicine, and look for the trade mark, and money back guarantee on each box. Two sizes, 50¢ and 75¢.

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Remarks like the above are passed about many girls whose appearance would be most attractive were it not for a poor skin. RESINOL SOAP is just what such girls need to help in overcoming their complexion difficulties. It does more, removes dirt—it gets right after those clogged pores, and excessive oiliness, and it benefits the skin cells. When a little Resinol Ointment is used in connection with Resinol Soap, relief is hastened, and unless the trouble is due to some internal disorder, the complexion is usually cleared in a short time.

RESINOL SHAVING STICK is very popular with men who like the way the Resinol in it soothes the face.

Resinol products at all druggists.

MRS. NESBITT GIVES BRIDGE PARTY.

Mrs. Daisy Nesbitt opened her home on West Second street Saturday afternoon to a company which was bidden to say farewell to Mrs. Thurman Earley and Miss Millie Johnson, who started Monday for Tampa, Fla. There were four tables for bridge. After the games a delicious two course luncheon was served at the small tables. Pink roses were used to decorate the rooms, and the hostess presented some of the flowers to each of the honor guests. Besides those who played bridge a number of friends came, about twenty-five spending the afternoon.

PENNSY SIGNALMEN ELECT OFFICERS AT MEETING SUNDAY

The Sutton Music Store will be open evenings from now until Christmas. Adv-12-24

The public is cordially invited to attend the district meetings this week conducted by the pastor of the First Baptist church: East End, at the home of Mrs. Charles Taylor, corner of Monroe and East Main Streets, Monday at 7:15 p. m. North End, at the home of Mrs. Howard Jones, North Galloway Street, at 7:15 p. m. Monday. Speaker Mrs. L. Quisenberry. Tuesday, Orient Hill at 7:15 p. m. Wednesday, church, 7:30 p. m. Thursday, Spring Hill, at the home of Mrs. Albert Oglesbee, South Detroit street, at 7:15. Friday, West End, at the home of Mrs. Robert Fuller, Mrs. Quisenberry, leader.

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Miss Carrie Hutchison has arrived home from Kirkville, Mo., where she is a student of osteopathy, to spend the holidays at her home here. Miss Hutchison was 48 hours in making the trip, her train being held up by two wrecks which delayed her 12 hours in each instance.

Furs Wanted—I pay absolutely the highest price for muskrats at the Hole Produce, every Saturday. You lose money by selling them elsewhere. 12-15 M&Thus. Wm. Marshall.

Alfred Felton of Cleveland, and Mrs. Clark, of Norwich, N. Y., have been at the O. S. and S. O. Home on account of the illness of Dr. W. C. Hewitt, who is Mrs. Clark's brother, and the brother-in-law of Mr. Felton.

Mufflers, special value \$1.50. Higgins & Phillips. 12-15-16

Miss Elizabeth Applegate, who was formerly a teacher in the O. S. and S. O. Home schools, who has occupied a clerical position in Washington for the last two years, spent a short time last week at the Home, while on her way to her home in Batavia for Christmas.

What site will be finally chosen, however, will rest in the hands of the board of trustees which will be appointed by Governor Cox. This body will select the location, is understood on the merits of the several proposed sites, and will have absolute authority in choosing it.

POSITIONS FOR YOUNG WOMEN—Are open in telephone operating. Learn this interesting profession. Unlike factory work. Clean and attractive employment. Paid while learning. Vacations, pensions, sickness benefits, etc. No previous experience required. Apply to Miss Wilkins, Corner Main & Whiteman Streets, Central Union Telephone Company, Xenia, Ohio. adv-12-15

BEAT THEM TO IT. I was expecting a friend to call on Sunday evening. I opened the parlor door, and seating myself on the porch, awaited his arrival. When he came we went into the parlor. Hearing a noise, we looked around, and to my chagrin discovered my two pet chickens roosting on the back of a chair.

Chicago Tribune.

WHY DRUGGISTS RECOMMEND SWAMP-ROOT

For many years druggists have watched with much interest the remarkable record maintained by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder medicine.

It is a physician's prescription. Swamp-Root is a strengthening medicine. It helps the kidneys, liver and bladder do the work nature intended they should do.

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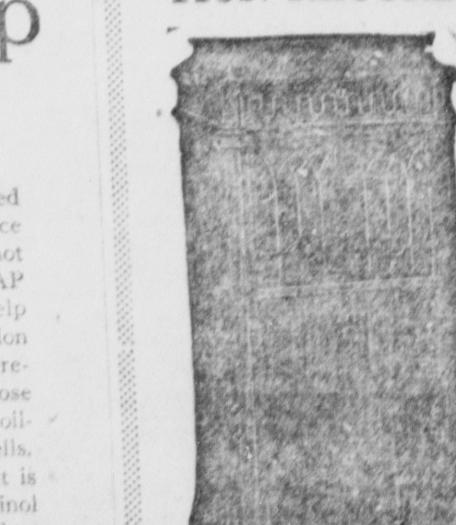
Be sure to get Swamp-Root and start treatment at once.

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SAYS CO. HOSPITAL WOULD BE A FITTING SOLDIERS' MEMORIAL

Mrs. Daisy Nesbitt opened her home on West Second street Saturday afternoon to a company which was bidden to say farewell to Mrs. Thurman Earley and Miss Millie Johnson, who started Monday for Tampa, Fla. There were four tables for bridge. After the games a delicious two course luncheon was served at the small tables. Pink roses were used to decorate the rooms, and the hostess presented some of the flowers to each of the honor guests. Besides those who played bridge a number of friends came, about twenty-five spending the afternoon.

PENNSY SIGNALMEN ELECT OFFICERS AT MEETING SUNDAY

The Sutton Music Store will be open evenings from now until Christmas. Adv-12-24

The public is cordially invited to attend the district meetings this week conducted by the pastor of the First Baptist church: East End, at the home of Mrs. Charles Taylor, corner of Monroe and East Main Streets, Monday at 7:15 p. m. North End, at the home of Mrs. Howard Jones, North Galloway Street, at 7:15 p. m. Monday. Speaker Mrs. L. Quisenberry. Tuesday, Orient Hill at 7:15 p. m. Wednesday, church, 7:30 p. m. Thursday, Spring Hill, at the home of Mrs. Albert Oglesbee, South Detroit street, at 7:15. Friday, West End, at the home of Mrs. Robert Fuller, Mrs. Quisenberry, leader.

Mr. Alfred A. Lewis and Sons.

We desire to thank our neighbors and friends who so kindly assisted us during the long illness and death of our beloved wife and mother.

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Miss Carrie Hutchison has arrived home from Kirkville, Mo., where she is a student of osteopathy, to spend the holidays at her home here. Miss Hutchison was 48 hours in making the trip, her train being held up by two wrecks which delayed her 12 hours in each instance.

Furs Wanted—I pay absolutely the highest price for muskrats at the Hole Produce, every Saturday. You lose money by selling them elsewhere. 12-15 M&Thus. Wm. Marshall.

Alfred Felton of Cleveland, and Mrs. Clark, of Norwich, N. Y., have been at the O. S. and S. O. Home on account of the illness of Dr. W. C. Hewitt, who is Mrs. Clark's brother, and the brother-in-law of Mr. Felton.

Mufflers, special value \$1.50. Higgins & Phillips. 12-15-16

Miss Elizabeth Applegate, who was formerly a teacher in the O. S. and S. O. Home schools, who has occupied a clerical position in Washington for the last two years, spent a short time last week at the Home, while on her way to her home in Batavia for Christmas.

What site will be finally chosen, however, will rest in the hands of the board of trustees which will be appointed by Governor Cox. This body will select the location, is understood on the merits of the several proposed sites, and will have absolute authority in choosing it.

POSITIONS FOR YOUNG WOMEN—Are open in telephone operating. Learn this interesting profession. Unlike factory work. Clean and attractive employment. Paid while learning. Vacations, pensions, sickness benefits, etc. No previous experience required. Apply to Miss Wilkins, Corner Main & Whiteman Streets, Central Union Telephone Company, Xenia, Ohio. adv-12-15

BEAT THEM TO IT. I was expecting a friend to call on Sunday evening. I opened the parlor door, and seating myself on the porch, awaited his arrival. When he came we went into the parlor. Hearing a noise, we looked around, and to my chagrin discovered my two pet chickens roosting on the back of a chair.

Chicago Tribune.

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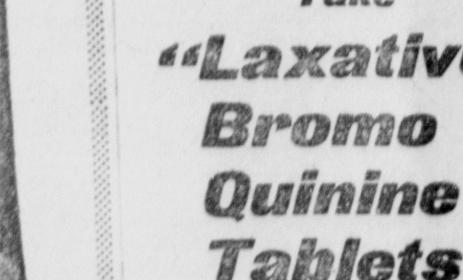
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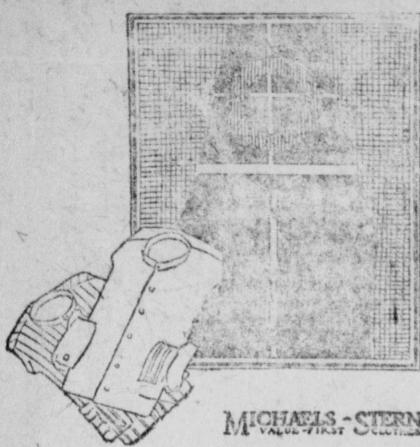
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"Why don't you speak for yourself John?"

When the folks at home half jokingly ask you what you want for Christmas—why don't you speak right up and say "SILK SHIRTS?"

MICHAEL STERN

That's what you really DO want, isn't it? Then why keep it a secret and be disappointed on Christmas morning when you unwrap a de luxe edition of "Les Misérables" in two volumes.

The Criterion collection of SILK SHIRTS this Christmas challenges the finest custom shop to produce anything better in silk and sewing and the patterns and the colorings are the talk of the town—and have been for the past two weeks.

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HUTCHISON & GIBNEY

The Woman Who Loved--And Earned

By Jane Phelps.

A Modern Story of Home and Business.

their offspring. Men are very like animals in some respects—that is, many of them are. Give them a wife, children, and they will work, endure everything, to make that wife, those children, comfortable and happy. But if the wife forages for herself, they soon learn to let her; their responsibility ends."

"I still think you are mistaken, Mother. And what a shame it would be for a girl who had made a place in the world for herself—who was earning as much or more perhaps than the man she married—to give it up! Also, with their combined earnings they could be so much more comfortable."

"Comfortable, Gerry, only in that they might perhaps have better clothes, etc. But a man wants a home. Perhaps as you say times have changed, but up to now girls have not been able to make a man the sort of home he craves and keep a wage-earning position as well. A man attends to his business, his job, or whatever he does, with a single-mindedness no woman who tries to do two jobs at once can hope to attain. She is attempting too much—trying to be man and woman both. It naturally follows that she falls down in one capacity if not in both—usually it is in the making of a home."

"But why will they not work for their own sake, their success in life?"

"It is not enough. A male animal will only forage when he is hungry unless he has a mate. He spends his time lazily loafing at other times. But give him a mate and he will be on the qui vive to provide for her and

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It is an inflammation of the mucous membrane, causing a discharge, and is aggravated by colds and sudden changes of weather, but depends on an impure condition of the blood. When chronic, it may develop into consumption by breaking down the delicate lung tissues and impairing the general health.

Begin treatment with Hood's Sarsaparilla at once. This medicine purifies the blood, removes the cause of the disease, and gives permanent relief. It has been entirely satisfactory to three generations.

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JAMESTOWN

A CORRECT UNDERSTANDING.

We wish to correct a false impression that developed in the Jamestown paper. We appreciate the editor's interest in behalf of the American Legion—but it seems that we have gone on record as opposed to the County Memorial Hospital, this is false to many of us. It appears a county institution of this nature will be a great occasion of good and prestige for the people of Greene County.

This of course is a matter of opinion. The Legion does not consider the question as official.

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MAJOR GENERAL WOOD'S CANDIDACY.

The managers of Major General Leonard Wood have decided to bring Mahomet to the mountain. A few days in Washington and they were convinced that the party leaders in the East are more favorable to either Senator Harding or Governor Lowden for the Republican nomination for the Presidency than to their candidate. They are assured of their strength in the Middle West, and they are ready to start their campaign in the East. They realize they have some hard fighting ahead, but they are enthusiastic and optimistic.

Formal announcement of General Wood's candidacy is expected within a few weeks. It is thought that he will declare himself before January 1 in order to meet the requirements of the South Dakota presidential preference law which requires candidates to announce themselves and their platforms on or before that date in order to be voted for in the primaries.

Colonel William L. Proctor, of Cincinnati, went to Washington to confer with national leaders of the party. He has been selected as General Wood's campaign manager. There is to be no "closed season" in the Wood hunt for the nomination until the will of the convention is announced next June.

Colonel Proctor conferred with Frank T. King, of Connecticut, who has been directing the Wood campaign and it was decided to open national headquarters at an early date.

General Wood is a great man. His service in the Spanish-American War will not soon be forgotten by Americans. And anybody who has been to Havana, Cuba, will bear testimony to the indubitable evidence presented there of his marvelous executive ability in cleaning up that great city and giving to it wonderful improvements of which they are very proud. No name is more caronized in Havana than that of Leonard Wood, for the marvelous transformation he wrought there while Military Governor of Cuba after the war.

There has been some criticism of General Wood for a phrase he used in

an address he recently made at Williams College, saying, "Avoid internationalism as you would death." We have not seen any explanation from him of just what he meant in the expression, but in view of the existing national discussion of the League of Nations some have inferred that he is opposed to it, and that that is what he meant. We hope not.

Many of those who oppose the League of Nations base much stress for their position on the language in Washington's Farewell Address where he cautions us to beware of "entangling alliances" with foreign nations. We have just re-read this famous document and we think he referred to our taking sides with any particular nation as against another—for he speaks of "partiality for one foreign nation and excessive dislike of another"—says we should be impartial or in other words neutral.

We are sure if George Washington had been alive during the late war he would have been among the first to urge our entrance into it.

Self-protection is implanted by God in the human breast—so when a barbarous nation with which we were on good terms, and against which we had not lifted a hand, sunk the Lusitania, and sent to death hundreds of our citizens, there was nothing left for us to do in self-defense than resent the insult. We would be a nation of soft-roofed if we had not done so.

Think of the George Washington of Valley Forge—and can you think of him, if alive after the sinking of the Lusitania, as being neutral.

THE DEADLIEST EPIDEMIC.

A well known medical authority says that influenza is "a more fatal infection than smallpox." He argues accordingly for thorough isolation of influenza patients following the same method that is practiced as a matter of course with smallpox cases.

A good test of this method was made last winter in Buffalo. That city fought the flu by closing all its schools, church, theaters and other public places, by using vaccines, and by insisting on the wearing of gauze masks. These precautions were put in force in the early stages of the epidemic. As a result, it never became a very serious epidemic in Buffalo. That city suffered far less in proportion to population than the majority of American cities, where rigid isolation and other scientific regulations were not adopted.

A repetition of last year's epidemic has been feared for this winter. It has not yet developed alarmingly anywhere, but there have been many disquieting appearances of the disease. Manifestly, the only sensible thing to do, wherever it breaks out, is to recognize influenza for what it is—a disease as deadly as any epidemic to which the modern world is subject—and treat it accordingly.

GOOD HOUSEKEEPERS USE BEST
That is why they use Red Cross Ball
Blue. All leading grocers, 5 cents.



REPRESENTATIVE FAVORS FABRIC LAW IN LETTER

A national pure fabric law is favored by Senators Harding and Pomerene and Representative S. D. Fess.

In letters which were written to the Greene County Sheep and Wool Growers Association, and which were read at the annual meeting of that organization Saturday afternoon, the statesmen said they could heartily endorse and would support such a measure. Their feelings regarding the matter were sought by President J. C. Williamson of the Greene County Sheep and Wool Growers' Association and County Farm Agent Ford S. Prince.

The local organization will unite with the Ohio and The National Sheep and Wool Growers' Association in backing such a measure. Such a law would compel manufacturers to label clothing or cloth as to the amount of wool, cotton or "shoddy," that it contains "shoddy" is worked over wool, in which the fabric is short and does not have the wearing quality of good wool.

R. A. Hammond of Columbus, who had charge of all wool which was handled and sold in Columbus last summer, addressed the local sheep and wool men at Saturday's meeting. This wool was handled through the Ohio Sheep and Wool Growers' Association, and was sold by it for the growers, direct to the manufacturers, eliminating the commission man. The farmer paid the low rate of five and one-half per cent for having his wool handled, graded and sold.

Mr. Hammond explained that every fleece was graded placed in its proper grade and sold upon its merits. He explained the different grades, the manner in which the wool is graded, and the manner in which it is tied up and bagged. He answered many questions which were put to him by the members.

J. C. Williamson was re-elected chairman of the Greene county association. The secretarial work will be

handled through the Greene County Farm Bureau.

The chairman will appoint an executive committee later.

There are 96 members of the association and about 40 were present at Saturday's meeting.

It is estimated that there are 258 farmers in the county who own more than 15 sheep, and it is the intention of the association to make an effort to get most of them into the association.

While only 40,000 pounds of wool was handled in Columbus for the members of the local association this year, all of it was of excellent quality. Columbus handled wool and a half million pounds of fleeces for Ohio wool growers this year.

To Renovate Old Oil Paintings.

When old oil paintings have become dark and cracked they may be made to look like new by the following process, says the Illustrated World: Pour alcohol in a dish and put the picture over it, face downward. The fumes of the alcohol dissolve the paint of the picture, the cracks close up and the color becomes more fresh. Caution is absolutely necessary, as the paint may become so soft as to run together, thus spoiling the whole picture.

Never Touched Him!
A bullet, traveling straight for the heart of a Toledo policeman hit the officers badge, shattered it, ripped his coat and went off at an angle without touching his body.

Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffing! A dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" taken every two hours until three doses are taken usually breaks up a severe cold and ends all gripe misery.

The very first dose opens your acts without assistance, tastes nice-clogged-up nostrils and the air pas-no quinine.

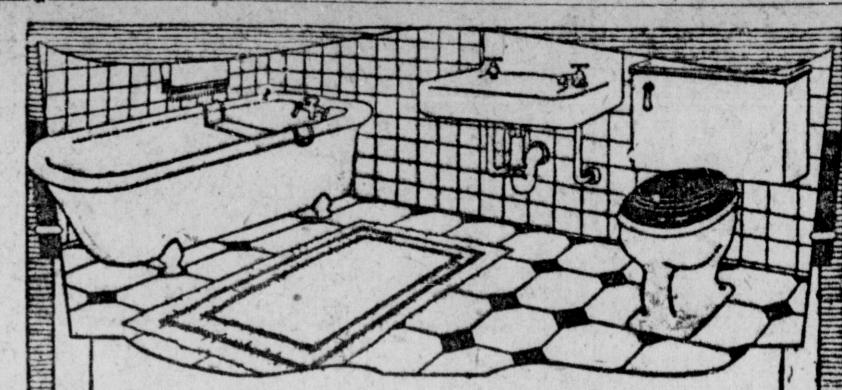
MAGIC AMUSES MANY AT THEATER FRIDAY

Regular old time magic of the "rabbit in the hat" sort, amused an audience at the opera house Friday night when the "Great Herrmann" appeared with his troupe of minstrel singers and dancers.

Herrmann himself was the big feature of the program and his magic tricks and his repertoire of new magic was interesting as well as amusing. The minstrel part was a lively change from the magic acts and Rose Washburn, Billy Heins and the Miller orchestra were exceedingly popular in this part.

The Integrated Goat.

The story of the Integrated Goat concerns the man who had a lawn to cut and no lawnmower. He was too poor to buy a lawnmower and he hated the labor of mowing, so he bought a goat. The goat saved him the labor by eating the grass, produced special milk for the baby, fertilized the lawn and ate a few tin cans on the side. That is a crude case of integrated effort. We pay tribute to the wisdom of this sort of effort in our popular proverb, "Killing two birds with one stone." This is also a crude figure. Real scientific integrated effort would require that we kill ten birds with one stone and get the stone back.—From the Nation's Business.



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Ask your druggist—he sells and recommends Pepsinco.

TELEPHONE YOUR WANT ADS

To the Voters of Greene County The Eyes of All Ohio Are Upon You!

ALL OHIO is watching you on Tuesday to see if you are building for the future—to see if you are going to continue to lead, not follow—in things worth while to the progress of our county and state.

REMEMBER Greene County cannot stand still—she must go forward or backward—she needs badly NOW a modern hospital to serve the men, women and children of our county—in order to progress.

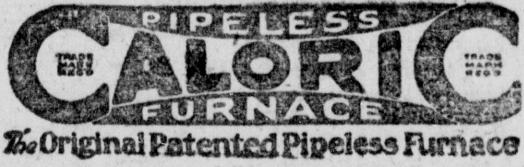
Go the Polls Tuesday and Prove to Ohio That Greene County is
Going to provide for her sick, injured and suffering
By Voting *For* Greene County Memorial Hospital

Saving Coal Saves Money

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There's a wealth of proof to show that your home may be thoroughly comfortable at a third or a half less fuel than you have been using. The Caloric Pipeless Furnace is a remarkable fuel conserving. Many say it saves half. Here is just one sample letter taken at random out of thousands which the manufacturers receive from pleased Caloric owners:

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YE IRON FENCE AROUND LAWNS WHERE IS IT?

The passing of the iron fence! Like fifteen cent eggs, kaisers, flow moustaches, and the amber colored brew, it has been relegated to live only in the pages of history.

It does not require an ancient patriarch to remember when the front yard fence was a "thing of beauty and a joy forever." In those days, like babies, bacteria and celluloid colars, everybody had 'em.

Where was the imposing residence with its imposing lawn, that did not boast its boundary fence and its iron deer. It seems that they were a common disease brought on by prosperity, the same as pewter tea sets, coaches and fours, and like monstrosities of a forgotten age.

Yet now but few lawns cling to the boundary fence. Forbidding they were for they gave to the house and grounds an air of assured snobishness, a sort of aloofness, that seemed to be essential in those days to impart the real aristocratic flavor to the residence of the rich.

And even the County Court house was not spared a fence. The ancient edifice that once stood on the spot the new and imposing building now graces, shielded itself with a wall and iron rail fence. Its purpose 'tis said was to keep the loafers away and avoid the inevitable tramping upon the neatly trimmed greensward. Yet it served an opposite purpose, for its funny railings proved a most comfortable roosting place for the floating public and the grass suffered in ratio.

But withal, the boundary fence served a noble purpose. Many a neighborhood brawl in the old days was spared the "neighborhood housewife, and many a case that thrusts its sordid if amusing tale into police court would never have seen the light of day, had it been fostered during an earlier regime amid the surroundings of the late lamented iron fence.

For kids were kids then the same as now, and the neighbor's flowers were never uprooted or your own potato vines trampled underfoot, because of the forbidding fence with its silent yet none the less stalwart protection.

Ask the county or city surveyor who found the greater part of his time involved in settling boundary disputes. The iron fence, the front yard boundary fence, settled for once and for all the petty boundary disputes in the old days. Now it is different.

So all hail to the fence—it's beauty was questionable yet it served a noble purpose.

Chinese Calligraphy.

The Chinese, according to a Canton paper, recognize the extreme complexity of their written language. About 20 years ago, in the days of the empress dowager, a scholar and reformer named Wang Chao, who held the highest obtainable literary degree, conceived the idea of a simplified form of Chinese writing. He invented a phonetic system of symbols, which was promptly branded revolutionary and suppressed, while its "radical" author was banished. Later, however, the idea has been introduced, and the government has tried a system of the same kind, but more complicated, without much success. Two missionaries of Tsang-chow have fared better in an effort to revive Wang Chao's phonetic script, which is based on the fact that, although the number of characters is vast, there are only 318 "word-sounds" in the Chinese language.

WORKS HARD TO AVERT FLU EPIDEMIC

Government and City Health Officials Warn People to Keep Clean.

Stay Away from People with Coughs and Colds.

Avoid crowds if you want to avoid influenza," says Association for Improving the Conditions of New York.

Keep your hands clean, drink plenty of fresh water; sleep with windows open; eat three uniform meals a day including a good breakfast.

People who have catarrh or frequent colds invite influenza, declares a prominent Kentucky druggist.

The membrane of the throat and nose is raw, sore and tender, and makes a lovely abiding place for germs to thrive and multiply.

He advises an inexpensive home-made remedy that will bring relief in less than a day and will stop all discharge and sooth and heal the inflamed membrane in a few days.

Thousands are making this beneficial remedy at home and anyone who has catarrh or a cold can do the same.

Pour three-quarters of an ounce of Mentholized Arcine into a pint bottle, then fill the bottle with water that has been boiled.

Gargle the throat as directed and snuff or spray the liquid into the nostrils twice daily. It's a simple way to get rid of cold and catarrh and keeps the nasal passage and throat clean and healthy.

Nearly all druggists dispense Mentholized Arcine in vials containing exactly three-quarters of an ounce, which is all you need to make a pint of this healthful medicine.

Humbled, repentant, loving and trusting her husband more than she ever had done, Bertha Price returned home with order book and heart full to repletion.



is the dentifrice that contains the properties recommended as ideal by United States Army dental surgeons

A Fair Substitute

By ALVAH JORDAN GARTH

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It had been a matter of pride to Bertha Lull when she married Alvin Price that he was a very handsome man of winning and agreeable manners. Every friend and acquaintance he made became an admirer. Blanche Vansant had tried her coquettish wiles, but Alvin was neither flir nor trifler and when he married another there was a certain tinge of envy and jealousy.

Alvin was a traveling salesman for a large wholesale millinery house and had an established clientele. His route did not take him out of the state, and he never missed coming home Saturdays until he announced to Bertha one day that he was expected by his firm to make a special rush trip covering his entire route within a month, to place a new hat brat that had arrived late and would be out of vogue with the end of the season.

Bertha and Blanche had always been good friends and the former was glad to have her old time school friend spend all the time she could spare in her company.

I should not like to have a traveling man for a husband," said Blanche, "and particularly as handsome a one as Alvin. I always frankly considered that he was irresistible."

"Why, you ridiculous pessimist!" laughed Bertha. "Do you suppose Alvin ever even thinks of anybody but me?"

"He shouldn't, I'll admit," answered Blanche, "for you are a perfect little jewel of beauty and duty, but Alvin also attracts attention, and my cousin who visited us last week and who knows Alvin, says that among the roadmen not one of them dares to aspire to the marked partiality of the ladies as does Alvin, and that he is such a favorite that many of them won't give their trade to anybody else."

"Why, bless you! Blanche," observed Bertha artlessly, "how can the dear creatures help it? Was there ever such a genial, accommodating and helpful a fellow in the world?"

A week later a casual remark of Blanche set Bertha thinking and worrying. She repeated something her cousin had said about a Mrs. Adams, a milliner at Glenville. A fellow roadman had told of how Alvin would go out of his way to visit the lady, and that it was a subject of gay badiage among other salesmen. Alvin came back home several days sooner than expected. Then all was forgotten with Bertha save solicitude and tenderness.

"I'm about done out with my long jaunt," Alvin told her. "Was laid up with a slight fever for two days. Doctor said I was due home for a rest. Too bad, for I had finished my entire route except six little towns down in Walden county. Bertha, dear, I want you to write a little for me to the house, explaining that I'm laid up for a spell, but covered everything but the towns marked on this list," and he handed Bertha a written sheet. She started and flushed as she read among them that of Glenville, the town where Mrs. Adams did business.

"Alvin," she said, "will it take much time or work to go to these places and see your customers?"

"Very little of either," replied Alvin, for they are among my surest clients."

"Then," said Bertha with animation, "why not let me take your place and finish the trip? Give me the samples and instructions. You will be proud to find out what an eager little business woman I am."

Alvin demurred, but Bertha finally overcame his scruples. She felt secretly guilty as she found herself on a train, for she realized that her main purpose was to see some of those "impressive milliners" with whom Alvin was such a favorite and the sting of Blanche Vansant's unkind insinuation smacked yet.

Elmore was the first town Bertha visited. It had but one milliner and as Bertha entered her store the woman stared at her fixedly.

"Why, you must be Mrs. Price!" she exclaimed.

"How did you know that?" questioned Bertha in amazement.

"Because you just placed Mr. Price's sample case on the counter, and the number of times that proud husband of yours has shown his customers your picture in the back of his watch couldn't be counted."

Bertha went to the next town, Glenville, with her heart cheered and comforted. Still, she entered the store of Mrs. Adams all agitated. A middle aged woman sat sewing on a hat.

"Are you Mrs. Adams?" inquired Bertha.

"Oh, no, I am her daughter. Mother, someone wishes to see you.

A woman gray-haired and bent and wrinkled appeared. She scanned Bertha curiously, recognizing her instantly. The moment Bertha told her mission the old lady folded her in her motherly arms.

"You are welcome as the flowers in spring, you sweet love!" she spoke, kissing Bertha rapturously. "Has that dear, good husband of yours told you how he saved me from losing all I had, and comes clear out of his way to look over my books and help me along?"

Humbled, repentant, loving and trusting her husband more than she ever had done, Bertha Price returned home with order book and heart full to repletion.

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Price 60c and \$1.00 at all drugstores. Send 3c stamp to The Jackson Medicine Co., Zanesville, O., for sample package.

Hard on the Trousers.

Though the wonderful mechanism of an artificial leg is of enormous value to those who are obliged to wear it, there is one very serious item to be reckoned with, and that is its tendency to create a big bill for trousers. An officer recently exhibited a tear in his trouser leg caused by some part of the mechanical joint catching in the cloth, and the daily task of pushing the artificial leg into the trousers wears them out in other directions all too soon in these days of costly tailoring.

MOTHERS OF OHIO

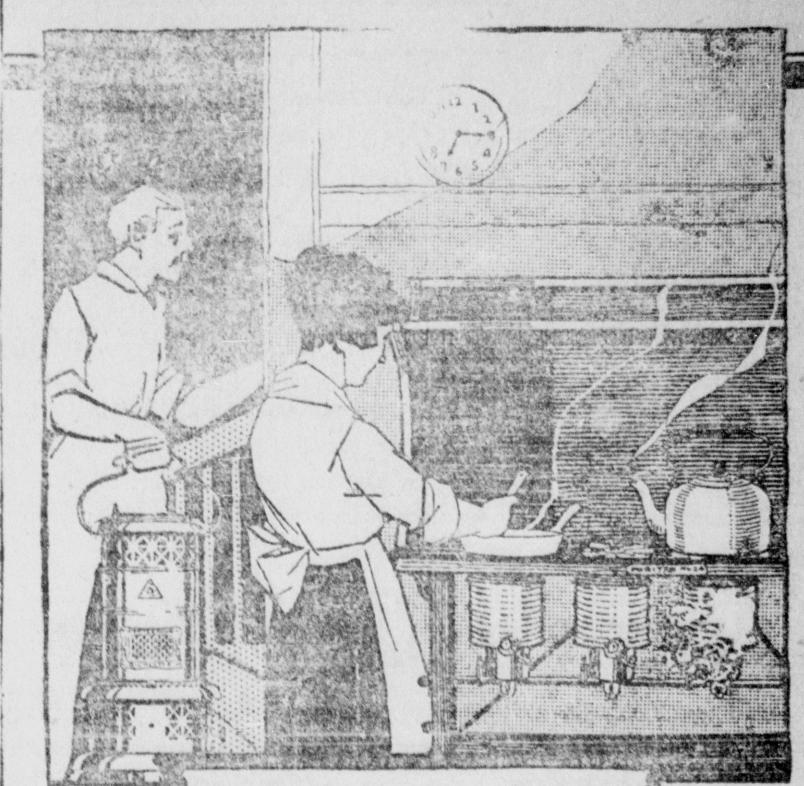
Conneaut, Ohio.—"Always during pregnancy I would become so lame that I would be bedfast, my back would be so stiff that I could not move myself. I tried various medicines but not until I took Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription did I get relief. I consider 'Favorite Prescription' a perfect tonic for the expectant mother, for it not only strengthened me and relieved me of all pain and lameness but I had comparatively no suffering and my babies were healthy and strong—absolutely perfect—mentally and physically, which I consider due to the fact that the tonic I took, 'Favorite Prescription,' contained no harmful ingredient."—Mrs. FRANCIE LUCE.

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Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription makes weak women strong and sick women well. Druggists sell it in liquid or tablets. Send 10 cents to the Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., for trial package.

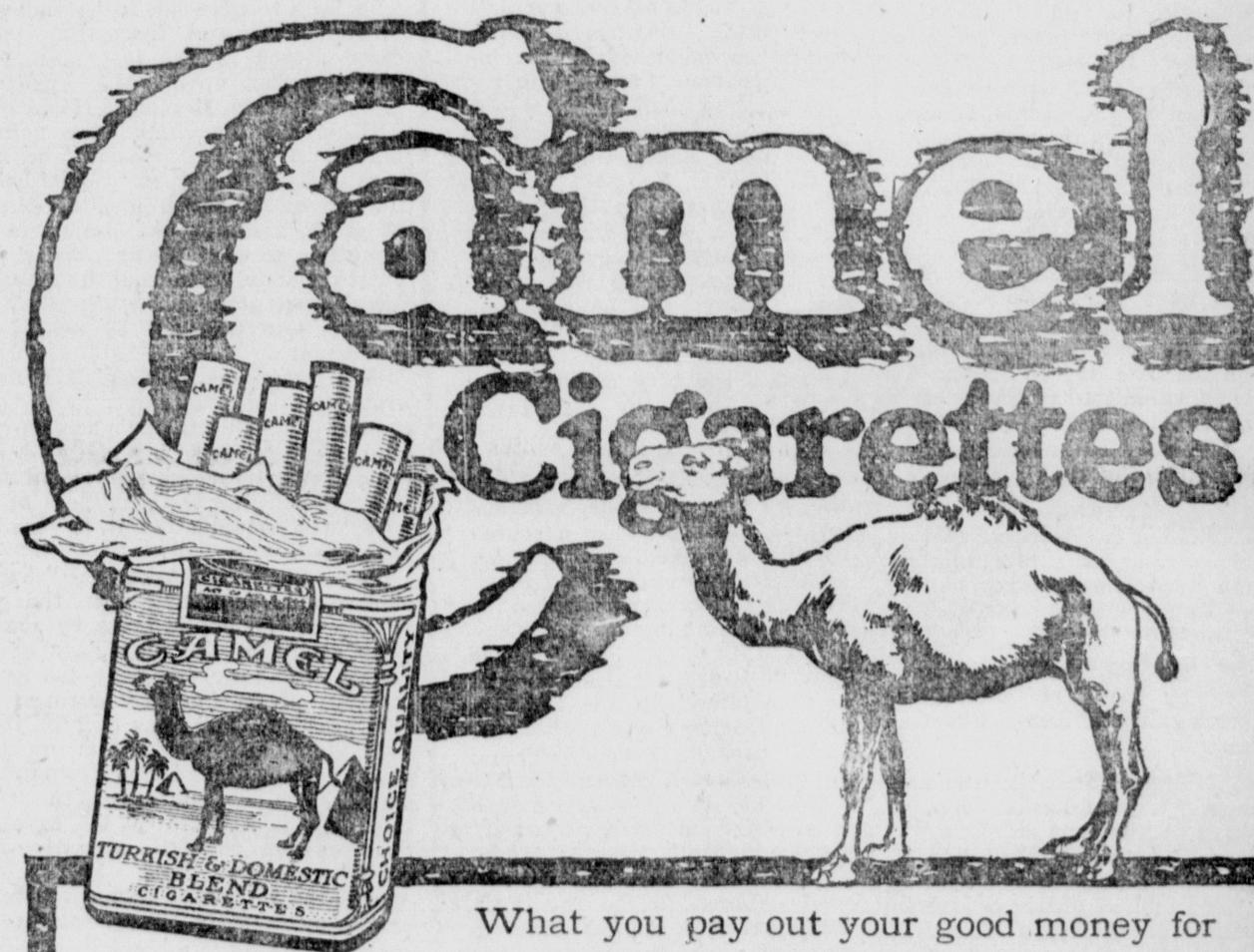
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Ordinance No. 84

An ordinance to issue bonds of the City of Xenia, Ohio, in the sum of Three hundred Twenty-five Thousand Dollars for the purpose of creating a fund for the purchase and extension of The Xenia Water Company.

WHEREAS, on the 24th day of July, 1919, the City Commission of the City of Xenia, Ohio, by Resolution No. 67, duly adopted on said date and declaring it necessary to issue bonds for the City of Xenia, Ohio, in the sum of Three Hundred Twenty-five Thousand Dollars for the purpose of creating a fund for the purchase and extension of The Xenia Water Company; and by the same resolution determined to submit the question of the issuance and sale of said bonds in the sum and for the purpose aforesaid, to a vote of the electors of the said City of Xenia, Ohio, at a special election to be held on the 25th day of September, 1919; and

WHEREAS, after due notice to said electors voting at said election upon the issuance and sale of said bonds in said amount and for the purpose aforesaid, was on the 25th day of September, 1919, submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of said City of Xenia, Ohio, at a special election held for that purpose; and

WHEREAS, two-third of said electors voting at said special election upon the issuance and sale of said bonds as aforesaid, voted in favor thereof;

NOW, THEREFORE, Be it ordained by the City Commission of the City of Xenia, State of Ohio:

SECTION 1. That the bonds of the said City of Xenia, Ohio, be issued in the sum of Three Hundred Twenty-five Thousand Dollars for the purpose of creating a fund for the purchase and extension of The Xenia Water Company as aforesaid; each of said bonds shall be in the denomination of One Thousand Dollars, numbered consecutively from one to three hundred and twenty-five inclusive; said bonds shall bear date of January 1st, 1920 and shall mature as follows:

Nos. 1 to 10 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1921;

Nos. 11 to 20 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1922;

Nos. 21 to 30 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1923;

Nos. 31 to 40 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1924;

Nos. 41 to 50 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1925;

Nos. 51 to 61 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1926;

Nos. 62 to 72 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1927;

Nos. 73 to 83 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1928;

Nos. 84 to 94 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1929;

Nos. 95 to 105 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1930;

Nos. 106 to 116 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1931;

Nos. 117 to 127 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1932;

Nos. 128 to 138 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1933;

Nos. 139 to 149 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1934;

Nos. 150 to 160 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1935;

Nos. 161 to 171 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1936;

Nos. 172 to 182 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1937;

Nos. 183 to 193 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1938;

Nos. 194 to 204 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1939;

Nos. 205 to 215 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1940;

Nos. 216 to 226 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1941;

Nos. 227 to 237 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1942;

Nos. 238 to 248 inclusive, aggregating \$10,000.00, Jan. 1st, 1943;

"ENLISTMENT WEEK" TO BE OBSERVED HERE BY BAPTIST CHURCH

The Northern Baptist convention in arranging the year's program for the "Forward Movement" have designated this week as "Enlistment Week," for Baptist churches and have instituted "The Family Group Plan" in the local churches. This plan will be observed by First Baptist church of this city on next Monday and will continue through the week. The scheduled program is as follows:

Monday Evening—East side at the home of Mrs. Charles Taylor, Monroe and East Main streets, leaders, Mrs. O. Dice and Mrs. C. Taylor, Speaker, Rev. A. Reed.

Monday Evening—North side at the home of Mrs. Howard Jones, North Galloway street, leaders, Mrs. H. Jones and Mrs. M. Collins, Speaker, Mrs. Lulu C. Quisenberry.

Tuesday Evening—Orient Hill, at the home of Mrs. A. J. Wilson, South Columbus street, leaders, Miss Anna Norckauer and Miss Ruth Maley, Speaker, the pastor.

Wednesday Evening—At the church. The pastor will give a survey talk on Assau.

Thursday Evening—Spring Hill, at the home of Mrs. Albert Oglesbee and Mrs. Carl Van Horn, Speaker, the pastor.

Friday Evening—West end, at the home of Mrs. Robert Fuller, West Second street, leaders, Miss Harriet McCarty and Mrs. Carey Dunham, Speaker, Mrs. L. C. Quisenberry.

Meetings will begin at 7:15 p. m. The families are urged to be present and the public is cordially invited. The week's program will have as its initial feature the presence next Sunday morning at the church of Rev. H. E. Dudley, of Burma, who will describe his work and its conquests. He will speak to the Sunday school and church congregation.

LETTERS FROM OUR READERS

Editor Gazette and Republican:

Under the caption: "Warm contribution to 'our' hospital," a soldier, who fails to give his name makes an unwholesome and thoroughly prejudiced attack in the last issue of a county paper upon the proposed Greene County Memorial Hospital.

Hiding safely behind the nom de plume "A. E. F. Inclusive," he flagrantly flays the good people behind the movement for a hospital, hinting at graft, assaulting the project as attempting to succeed by using the prestige of a "memorial for the soldiers" and stating broadly that the soldier vote will not be behind the movement.

The letter, on its face, is a deliberate, one-sided attempt to throw a monkey-wrench into the machinery of a project that is so big and so general in its far-reaching service, that in itself it belittles the smallness of the voter who would attempt to stand in its path.

The writer also takes the opportunity of encroaching upon the generosity of the public press by shamefully attacking the physicians of the county who are furthering the movement, a profession that during the late unpleasantness has covered itself with glory, and whose members have braved death in the same camps and on the same battlefields that the letter refers to, in an attempt to save the lives of the soldiers, a matter the writer seems to hold lightly. No Americans acquitted themselves more honorably in their efforts whether at home or abroad, than did the medical fraternity.

While it may be true that soldiers no more than any one else are "given to admiring last resting places and gravestones, and their monuments, or even hospitals, the home of the sick and the dying," still all the arts of modern science have failed to reveal a way to avoid having such institutions, and yet modern science has taught that the institution of such hospitals in the attempt to fight disease and death from injury, has greatly reduced the amount of these distressing things that are going on the world.

As for the soldier side of the questions, the fact that the miseries of sickness, disease and injury have been more closely brought home to the soldier than to any one else, should convince them of the need of a hospital and the good it can accomplish. At a meeting of the executive committee of Joseph P. Foody, Post 95, of the American Legion here, the movement for a hospital was heartily endorsed and it is believed that in the main, the men who were in the service all over the county are back of the project.

SECTION 5. There shall be levied and collected annually during the period for which said bonds have to run by taxation on all taxable property on the tax duplicate of the City of Xenia, Ohio, an amount sufficient to pay the interest thereon as herein provided, and to provide a sinking fund for the payment of said bonds at maturity, provided that the amount of such annual levy shall be such as to provide for and make up any deficiency in the revenues of the said City of Xenia, Ohio, available for the payments of such interest and the creation of such sinking fund for the revenues and the proceeds derived from the operation of said water works plant, or otherwise; and the proper taxing authorities shall contribute the amount of such general tax levies and certify the same for collection as other taxes are certified and collected.

SECTION 6. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed this 11th day of December, 1919.

J. THORP CHARTERS,
President of City Commission

Attest:

GEORGE H. STOKES,
Clerk of City Commission.

12-15

"A. E. F. Inclusive" ever saw the light of day.

In hinting at graft behind the project for a hospital, "A. E. F. Inclusive" is assailing the honesty and integrity of men who have been in the van of progress in this county for years. He is maliciously attacking the reputation of citizens, who have the interests of the community at heart and in assailing the medical fraternity, he is attacking men who while he was in the service, were going to untold ends in their endeavor to assist the government in bringing a successful victory and an unalloyed peace to the world.

Quoting Dr. Frank Garland, head of the welfare department of Dayton, and a man thoroughly in touch with the service rendered by the public hospital, "the man should have his head examined who would vote against a proposition of this nature."

But fortunately the right-minded people of Greene county, the thinking people who have studied the possibilities and the need of a hospital here, not only for the service it renders its patients, but the development it offers the medical profession and the opportunity it affords in the well-organized fight of disease, will lay little stress on the flamboyant and absurd communication from "A. E. F. Inclusive."

In fact, even if the contributor's viewpoint is really sincere, his crude effort to excite sentiment against the project is considerably more likely to take the shape of a boomerang and result in an opposite effect from what he hopes.

(Signed) GEORGE H. STOKES, A. E. F.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

Mrs. Lottie Long, of Columbus, died of elephantiasis, she weighed 600 pounds. The coffin had to be placed in the yard.

Warden Coffin, of the state penitentiary has ordered Otis Hurley, assassin and prison demon to be kept in his cell. Frank O'Neil, stabbed nine times by Hurley is recovering.

James Lunn, who has been employed at Sacuger's meat store, will go into business for himself at Third street and Cincinnati avenue.

An effort is being made to establish a Wells-Fargo and American Express office in Xenia, to use the traction lines for transportation.

The injunction suit of R. L. Gowdy against the city council to prevent the letting of the electric light contract to the Xenia Electric Light Co., is before the Circuit Court, Dayton.

Trainmen report a heavy fall of snow at Richmond and Indianapolis.

XENIA MARKETS

New wheat 62c.
Corn 26c.
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Potatoes, 45c per pound.
Butter, 18c per pound.
Eggs, 20c per dozen.
Poultry, \$2.50@3.00 per dozen.
Cattle, butchers fat cows, \$2.50@
\$3.50, steers, \$1.00@\$1.65, shippers,
\$4.25@\$4.50.
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Lamb, \$3.50@\$4.00.
Hogs, butchers, \$2.75@\$4.00.

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HELPS PICK SITE FOR G. O. P. MEET

Miss Mary Garrett Hay.

E. J. Sweet, state representative on

the national Republican committee from Maine, sat in the high council of the G. O. P. at Washington recently to help choose a site for the convention next June. It was the first time that a woman has had a voice in such a gathering. Chicago was selected for the convention.

Wednesday

AGED RESIDENT DIES
AT PORT WILLIAM

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon for Miss Maria Woolery, who died at her home in Port William last Wednesday evening, after an illness lasting ten weeks, following a stroke of paralysis.

Miss Woolery was 72 years of age and was born and raised near Port William, moving into the village two years ago. Three brothers survive, Harrison, of Lenworth, Ohio, Asbury, of Paintersville, Harvey of near Port William, and a sister, Etta, of Port William.

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COST OF HOSPITAL TO TAX PAYER IS BUT FEW CENTS YEAR

The cost of the proposed Greene County Memorial Hospital in dollars and cents to the taxpayer is 3½ cents semi-annually on every \$100 worth of taxable property. In other words, a property valuation of \$10,000 would mean a semi-annual cost of 35 cents, while on \$10,000 the cost would only be \$3.50. As pointed out by those interested in the hospital, this represents but a small investment in a means of life insurance that is worth several times this amount to the beneficiary.

With a crying need existing in Greene County for an adequate hospital the question of the bond issue for the proposed County Memorial Hospital appeals to the common sense of every voter in the county.

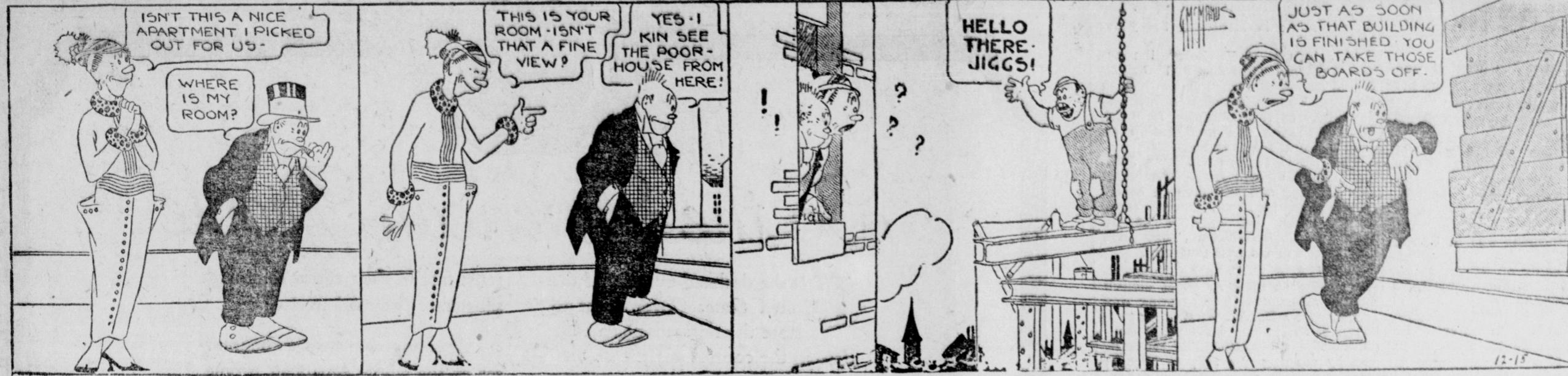
The parties interested in the promotion of the hospital bond issue are asking no more from the people of Greene County than is the custom in any other community. Other communities seeing the need of adequate facilities for taking care of the sick and injured, have long since waved aside personal prejudices and voted for the establishment of such hospitals.

"EATSOME" EDGEMONT CRACKERS

Give your hens Don Sung and watch results for one month. If you don't find that it pays for itself, just pay you a good profit besides, tell us and your money will be promptly refunded.

Don Sung (Chinese for egg-laying)

"Bringing Up Father"



By George McManus

CONFERENCE IN WASHINGTON IS MAKING STEPS

Washington, Dec. 13.—President Wilson's industrial conference, working steadily and quietly is "making progress." This report was made today by the White House after a preliminary report of the workings of the conference had been made to the president.

A very definite program for the settlement of industrial unrest has been tentatively formulated it was stated, and there is every indication that it will furnish the basis for a real working arrangement which will wipe out some of the difference between capital and labor.

The conference is somewhat hampered for lack of funds, it was stated, and the sessions may have to be cut short if congress does not make an appropriation for the expenses of the conference members.

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No men living are more worthy to be trusted than those who toll up from poverty; none less inclined to take or touch aught which they have not honestly earned.—Lincoln.

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WANTED—Middle age white woman for house work willing to go to Cincinnati. Bell 836-W. 12-16

WANTED—Corn huskers, Emmett Smith, 4026-11. 12-15

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WANTED TO RENT—Six room house on or before March 1. Party will take good care of property. Address "R. M." care Gazette. 12-17

Call Gazette Office

POULTRY WANTED

POULTRY WANTED. If you have poultry to sell it will pay you to call us. Fletcher Grocery, Bell 449 or Citz. 10-2911

WANTED—Black Langshan cockerels, Mrs. H. E. Mills, R. 5, Xenia, Citz. 4-151, Cedarville. 12-16

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LONG & MARSHALL—Real Estate and Loans. Will buy or sell your property or loan you money. It will pay you to see me. Office 19 South Detroit St, Gazette bldg. Both phones. 6-112

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FARMS—Farms and houses also vacant lots, also draft mare, cultivator, motorcycle, harrow, scythe stands, center tables. John Harbine, Allen building. Telephones. 12-29

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WE PAY CASH, not checks for cream, and the top price. General store. 12-15

DOANS ON EVERYTHING. Notes and bonds bought. Farms, houses and lots for sale. John Harbine, Allen building. Telephones. 12-2712

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FOR SALE—Trained ferrets. Call 1014-W. Bell, Chas. W. Bird. 12-14

FOR SALE—A No. 1 40 horse power slide valve steam engine. 117 Cincinnati avenue. Either phone 144. 12-111f

FOR SALE—Hot water radiators, for heating, also all size pipe and fittings. 117 Cincinnati ave. Either phone 144. 12-111f

SECOND-HAND Stoves, furniture and carpets, bought and sold. Repairs of all kinds. Gas stoves delivered and connected. L. A. Judy, North King street, between Main and Market, Bell phone 738. Citz. 11-157.

FOR SALE—Four ft. cord wood. Bell phone 4619-15. 12-17

FOR SALE—Ladies' Grey chinchilla coat, also white chinchilla coat. Bell 944-W. 12-17

FOR SALE—White iron bed with springs. Call Bell phone 6031. 12-17

FOR SALE—Several gas wall heaters. No. 7 East Second St. 12-17

PIANO—Fine up right for sale. \$600 monthly. John Harbine, Allen bldg. Telephones. 12-17

FOR SALE—Poultrey. Plymouth rock roosters. Citz. phone 12-116. 12-16

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